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THE CLEARFIELD PROGRESS

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Facts In Hoyt Case Warrant Inquiry By County Commission

Resignation Not of Record, and Salary As County Home Steward Paid After Appointment as Sealer

MANY LEGAL OPINIONS SUSTAIN THEORY

Here are additional facts developed by The Progress in the matter of the appointment of S. J. Hoyt, former steward of the county home, as sealer of weights and measures:

The salary of the steward and matron of the county home is $1000 per annum.

This sum is divided $600 for the steward and $400 for the matron.

It was Mr. Hoyt's custom to draw his salary monthly, $50 constituting payment for a full month's services.

Mr. Hoyt drew a full month's salary for December, 1915, an itimized bill including this payment being on file in the office of the county commissioners, and the warrant in payment is a part of the records of the county treasurer.

Mr. Hoyt's resignation, if it can be called such, is in the possession of the commissioner's clerk. It is dated December 29, 1915.

A carfeul examination of the minutes of the session of the board of commissioners for December 29, and for the session immediately preceeding, fail to record the existence of this resignation, either in acknowledging its receipt on recording its acceptance.

Thus it is established that Hoyt drew salary as steward of the county home, and actually served as steward of the county home, for at least three days in the month of December after his appointment as sealer of weights and measures.

It is established that his resignation is not a part of the records of the county.

It is established that his appointment to the position of sealer of weights and measures is not legal.

It is established that his resignation was a purely perfunctory act, not intended to be effective, and a part of the plan of the retiring commissioners to give a life position to a member of their own official family.

Pending the return of two members of the county commission who are absent on official business, no action has been taken looking to an inquiry into the legality of the appointment of S. J. Hoyt as sealer of weights and measures.

That such inquiry will be directed is conceded by those familiar with court house affairs, and that it will result in the ousting of Hoyt is accepted by lawyers and others who are of the opinion that the appointment was not made in accordance with the law.

As nearly as The Progress can guage it, sentiment is in favor of vacating Mr. Hoyt's office. The circumstances surrounding his appointment are objectionable to most people who have expressed themselves on the subject, and the danger of giving rise to legal complications appeals to others as sufficient reason for the new commissioners to cause his status to be determined before he begins his new duties.

Commissioners Spencer and Haney who are absent in Danville, will return home today. It is expected that the Hoyt matter will be laid before a full meeting of the commissioners tomorrow morning, and that the county solicitors will be asked to advise the board as to the legality of the appointment.

DELIGHTFUL TEA GIVEN IN HONOR OF GUEST YESTERDAY

Mrs. Singleton Bell and Daughters Entertain for Miss Helen Ferguson of New York

One of the loveliest teas that has ever been given in Clearfield was given yesterday afternoon from five till eight o'clock to about 75 guests by Mrs. Singleton Bell, Miss Bell and Miss Gertrude Bell at their home on West Front street in honor of Miss Helen Ferguson of New York City.

Mrs. Bell was beautifully gowned in lavender satin and silver lace. Miss Bell wore a lavender crepe-meteor and silk net, and wore a large bunch of violets. Miss Gertrude Bell wore an embroidered white crepe-de-chine and a large boquet of pink sweet peas, and Miss Ferguson was stunning in a gold net and gold cloth and wore violets

The house was tastefully decorated in smilax and carnations.

Those present from out of town were: Mrs. William Van Alen, Northumberland; Mrs. J. E. Merris, of DuBois; Mrs. R. D. Swoope and daughter Mary of Curwensville; Miss Lavina Eatherly, Mississippi; Miss Lois Fegley, of Grampian; and Mrs. William B. Graves of DuBois.

JERSEY SHORE WILL PLAY CLEARFIELD TEAM FRIDAY

Y. M. C. A. Team Has Developed Into One of Fastest in This Section of State

Friday evening the Y. M. C. A. basketball team will meet the strong Jersey Shore Y. team on the association gymnasium floor last Friday the local team demonstrated their ability to play basketball when they completely swamped the fast Huntingdon team in a very interesting game. The game this coming Friday gives promise of being considerably more interesting and exciting and will be the best played in Clearfield so far this season.

The residents of Clearfield have not been supporting the team as it should by turning out to the games. The present team under the direction of Coach Oberdick and captaincy of Jim Mitchell, has developed into one of the fastest in this section. Their playing is clean and fast and makes the game interesting for all spectators. It is completely worthy of support of every sport lover in this town. The price of admission is twenty-five cents. Game called at 8 15.

TRAIN STRIKES AUTOMOBILE NEAR ORCUTT'S GARAGE

Last evening the six o'clock passenger train on the Pennsylvania road struck the automobile owned by Dr. W. S. Piper badly damaging it. Dr. Piper had gone into the Orcutt garage and left his car stand partly on the tracks. The result was when the train came along it struck the car on the back end doing considerable damage. Fortunately no one was in the car.

C. M. REED AND FAMILY LEAVE FOR SAN DIEGO

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Reed and little daughter Maud, leave today for Jackson, Mich., to remain until Sunday there their son William will join them en route to Long Beach, Cal. Mr. and Mrs. Reed and family intend visiting the San Diego exposition, and will spend two months at various places along the coast.

AVON

TO-NIGHT

American Feature Play

"PEGGY LYNN, BURGLAR"

In 2 Exciting Acts

With Vivian Rich and Joe Galbraith

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"THE CELESTIAL CODE"

In 2 Parts

American

"DRAWING THE LINE"

A 2 Act Psychological Drama

Tomorrow

THEDA BARA IN "SIN"

Adults 10c — Children 5c

TRINITY M. E. CHURCH

Last evening Rev. O. B. Poulson was greeted by a larger congregation. His text was Ex. 32:26, "Who is on the Lord's side?" The sermon was a practical application of the text to the necessity of a personal self-examination of man's relation to God. It will not do for us to rest content with any kind of relation, or with an equivocal relation. The sermon was well received and prayers of consecration followed the sermon. The chorus did well. Everybody invited this evening.

STAUFFER—CHURCHILL

Yesterday noon at the residence of Paul Stauffer, 308 Margueretta St., by Rev. H. R. Bender, James B Stauffer, of Burnside, Pa., to Alice Houck Churchill, of Lovejoy, Pa. After the wedding a good dinner was served, and then the bride and groom took the train for Tyrone, and thence for the east or west.

DANCE IN OPERA HOUSE HALL

The Italian band will hold a dance in the opera house hall January 26 to which the public is cordially invited.

Here are eight of the nineteen mining men killed under orders of Villa soldiers in Mexico. Seven of them are Americans employed in the mining company at Cusi. They are from left to right: Ernest L. Robinson, chemist of the company; R. P. McHatton, secretary; T. M. Evans; Maurice Andersen; W. J. Wallace; general manager; W. B. Romero, a Mexican; G. W. Newman, a mining engineer, and C. R. Watson, superintendent

COAL OPERATORS OF CENTRAL PA. MET YESTERDAY

Association Will Not Join Four-State Agreement---Officers For 1916 Elected

No Trouble Is Expected With the Miners in Reaching Agreement Aprli First—Pittsburgh Association May Not Join Four-State Agreement.

The Bituminous Coal Operators association of Central Pennsylvania met in the operators rooms in the Kurtz building yesterday morning at eleven o'clock for the purpose of electing officers and adopting policies to be pursued in regard to the new scale agreement to be signed with the miners for two years beginning April 1.

Just fifty operators from all parts of the district were present when the election was held. It resulted as follows: President, B. M. Clark; vice president, Harry Boulton; secretary-treasurer, John C. Forsythe, executive committee, L. W. Robinson, Rembandt Peale, R. A. Hatfield, Harry Boulton, W. A. May, Chester Langdon, L. C. Maderia, J. E. Evans, H. B. Douglas, W. R. Craig, C. B. Maxwell, T. H. Watkins, I. A. Boucher, Morris A. Thompkins and J. R. Caseley.

One of the things decided upon before the noon recess was the matter of combining with the operators of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois in the so-called four-state agreement. This idea was quickly settled by a decision to remain independent as heretofore. It was also hinted around during the discussion that the operators of the Pittsburg district, who have heretofore joined in the fourstate agreement, have decided to deal independently with the miners upon the new scale.

The operators present represented the entire central Pennsylvania coal region and it was the spirit of the first meeting that there would not be much trouble manifested in reaching an agreement with the miners when the present scale expired.

A report gained wide circulation throughout the bituminous field today due to a newspaper dispatch from Indianapolis, that the operators and miners of Central Pennsylvania would deal through the four-state committees, but the meeting at Clearfield has discredited this. It is known that the operators of this district did not have representatives at the Chicago conference which decided to meet with the miners' officials. It was from that meeting that the report of the co-operation with the four-state organization eminated. The operators of this district hold some advantages in their present agreement with their workers that the operators of other fields do not possess and it is chiefly because they do not care to risk losing those advantages and believe that they can recah a better agreement that the Central Pennsylvania operators decided to go it independently.

Madame C. Dupuis of Boston, Mass., arrived on last evening express to spend a visit with her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Fullerton on Market street.

D. A. R. ELECT OFFICERS AND DELEGATES YESTERDAY

Large Number of Members Present For Yearly Election---Refreshments Served

The monthly meeting of the Susquehanna chapter of the Daughter of the American Revolution was held yesterday afternoon in the Woman's club building on Market street at which a large number of the members were present. Following a short business meeting, officers for the year were elected. Refreshments consisting of tea and sandwitches were served.

The following officers were elected:
Regent, Miss Alice Dill.
Vice regent, Mrs. W. I. Swoope.
Secretary, Mrs. James Horton.
Registrar, Mrs. Frank Reed.
Treasurer, Mrs. Reuben Nevling.
Historian, Mrs. Edwards.
Corresponding Secretary Miss Jennie Bigler.

The following delegates to the National convention elected: Miss Alice Dill, Miss Amelia Bigler, Mrs. A. E. Patton, Mrs. Harry Kratzer, Mrs. R. D. Swoope, Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. David L. Krebs, Mrs. John Leitzinger, Mrs. Harry Dowler, Mrs. James P. OLaughlin, Mrs. W. I. Betts, Mrs. James Horton and Miss Jessie McPherson.

WOMEN WLL MAKE SURGICAL DRESSINGS FOR HOSPITAL

Women Have Shipped Two Boxes of Work to Hospitals at Front

The Woman's Surgical dressings committee having shipped two boxes of their work to headquarters and the work was pronounced excellent. The committee has now decided to sew for the Clearfield hospital for the next two weeks and will sew articles like those sent to the wounded. All women interested are urged to help, and any information desired will be gladly given by any of the committee All articles are to be sent to the home of Mrs. A. O. Smith and sewing circles will be formed at various centers.

Mrs. A. O. Smith, chairman; Mrs. H. F. Wallace, Miss Ella Shaw, Miss Jennie Bigler, Mrs. Frank Row, Mrs. Anna Kennard, Mrs. Ida Martin Mrs. F. B. Irwin, Secretary. J. 19-3te.o.d.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS THURSDAY EVENING

Camp 25 P. O. of A. will hold a public installation of their officers at their lodge rooms on Second street, Thursday evening, Jan. 20. The doors will open at 8:30 o'clock to the public. A short program has been prepared which will be given after the officer have been installed. Everybody welcome. Jan. 19-3t.

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Many Arrests Made In Plot To Blow Up Chinese Emperor

Acceptance of Throne Has Been Followed by Outbreaks and Demonstrations and Plan to Unseat Ruler

REVOLUTION RAPIDLY SPREADING

Pekin, Jan. 19. (By United Press)—Numerous arrests were made here today in a plot to blow up Yuan Shi Kai who recently accepted the Chinese throne. Explosives were discovered in the Emperor's palace.

Yuan Shi Kai's acceptance of the Chinese throne has been followed by several outbreaks and demonstrations by anti-monarchists and finally by the plan to unseat the Chinese ruler. Though government troops were dispatched to Yumman province where the rebellion started more than two weeks ago, Pekin has not yet claimed the suppression of the revolutionists who were reported to number more than 300,000. Advices have reached Tokio to the effect that the revolution has spread to other provinces.

FREE MATINEES WILL BE GIVEN AT AVON THEATRE

Mr. Harder Will Announce Plan Soon —All School Children Will be Admitted

About five hundred children were delightfully entertained at the Avon theatre yetserday afternoon after school hours by the presentation of a fine program of moving pictures. The event was "Potato Day" and a donation of five bushels of potatoes were received at the Children's home on Spruce street.

Mr. Harder the manager, stated this morning that it was impossible for him to show as many pictures as he had intended owing to the large crowd and limited time. He also stated that he intends giving a series of free matinees, so that every boy and girl attending school may have an opportunity of seeing a fine program of movie pictures.

The plan for these free entertainments will be announced in the Avon advertisements as soon as Mr. Harder has consulted with Prof. Zerfoss of the public schools and Father Ryan of the Parochial school.

The generous plan of the Avon will certainly be hailed with delight by the school children.

STATE'S WITNESS TESTIFIES IN MOHR MURDER TRIAL

Says Mrs. Mohr Said She Could Hire Thugs to Kill Dr. Mohr

Providence, R. I. Jan. 19. (By United Press)—The direct charge that Mrs. Elizabeth Mohr had declared she "could hire a couple of thugs and have Dr. Mohr murdered" was made by George Rooks from the witness stand today when he was called by the state in the trial of the slain physician's widow charged with instigating the shooting of her husband. Rooks is the brother-in-law of Miss Emily Burger, Dr. Mohr's office assistant who was with him on the night of the murder and was wounded. He told of Mrs. Mohr's visits to his office. "On her first visit to me in January, 1914, Mrs. Mohr said she could hire a couple of thugs and have Dr. Mohr murdered. She said Miss Burger would never live to marry her husband, but said she would give the doctor a divorce for $30,00 and a home.

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MIRKINS

DEATH ORDER THROWS CHILL OF HORROR INTO BANDITS

Villista Leader to be Shot Today and Corpse Added to Public Display

El aso, Jan. 19. (By United Press)—Carranza's death order has thrown a chill of horror into the hearts of Mexican bandits. The public parade of the corpses of bandits to show the fate of the lawless, has driven the outlaws farther into the interior today.

With the reported murder of two two more Americans near Torreson still unconfirmed, Carranza officials in Juarez were confident that the campaign of exterminating would satisfactory avenge the slaughter of eighteen Americans at Santa Ysabel. Enrique Cisneros a Villista leader, will be the next to die. After he is shot here or in Chihuahua City, his corpse will be added to the public display of the dead bodies of Jose Rodriguez and iguel Valles.

FIRST STEPS TAKEN TODAY FOR NEW WAGE SCALE

President White Appoints Committee For Framing the New Rates

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 19. (By United Press)—The first step of the United mine Workers of America in the forming of new wage scale demands on operators was taken today when President John White appointed the wage scale committee consisting of one representative from each of the districts. In naming the committee White explained that the last convention chose to advance the president this power through a resolution but since this was not a constitutional resolution he assumed the right.

White offered to let the districts name their own committeemen, but no action was taken. When the auditors report was read today an item of $13,000 for shoes for the Ohio strikers during their strike attracted great attention.

MOVE TO PRES... LAST LARGE T... VIRGIN PINE ...

Hon. J. E. Phillips A... Meeting of Wild Life L... At New Castle Last ...

Move is Made to Make T... Cook Estate in Clearfield and J... ferson Counties a State Game P... serve and Park.

At the meeting of sportsmen and those interested in the Wild ... league, held in the office of Alderman Green last night, and addressed by Representative Phillips, of Clearfield County, and some others, the ... which has been started to preserve the last big tract of virgin pine in the state, and have it made a state game preserve and park, was discussed.

There is a tract of virgin ... hemlock of 7,600 acres on what is known as the Cook estate in Clearfield and Jefferson Counties. Effort has been made to have the state purchase the tract for a state park and game preserve, but so far without success. Members of the Wild Life league and others throughout the state, who are interested, are now making an effort to secure enough funds to option the site and hold it until the state can purchase it, in an effort to prevent it from being destroyed.

It would cost probably $500,000 for the state to purchase the tract, but the Wild Life league members are hopeful of raising enough money to option it for some time. It would be the plan to establish fish hatcheries, and game preserves on the tract.

Representative Phillips as the principal speaker at the meeting of the Lawrence County branch of the Wild life league, in addition to telling of the park plans, urged the co-operation of the hunters and farmers in endeavors to preserve the game of the state, through the enforcement of the existing game laws. The Wild Life league has been formed for the purpose of assisting the farmer in every way possible to conserve the game. Unless this is done it was pointed out that it will not be many years before there will be no game worth speaking of in the state. It is impossible for the different game wardens to enforce the laws without assistance as they are expected to look after too much territory. Every member of the Wild Life league is expected to assist the warden by bringing to his attention any violations of the game laws that may come under his notice.

Addresses were also made by R. T. Brown and Matthew Riley, of Ellwood City. They were along the line of local organization in addition to the county organization. A local has already been organized at Ellwood City, and it is proposed to organize one in New Castle. This will not interfere in any way with the work of the county organization, but will be of advantage in assisting this work.

The meeting was well attended and considerable interest was manifested. —From New Castle News of January 13, 1916.

THOUSANDS OF PRIESTS NOW IN FRENCH ARMY

(By United Press)

Paris, Jan. 12.—(By Mail.)—Nearly thirteen thousand ministers and priests are today serving in various capacities with the French army, according to statistics just given out by the Minister of War. The government itself has assigned as chaplains with regiments 151 Catholic priests, 28 Protestant ministers, and 14 rabbis. There is about an equal number of chaplains who have volunteered their services and been allowed to go with the troops. Most of the ecclesiastics are serving as nurses. Their total numbers 12,500.

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THE PHILIPPINE MIRAGE

Just as Bryan created a Mexico which had no existence in fact to suit his infantile ideas of statecraft so the Democrats in congress seem to have made up their minds to make an artificial Philippines which will be a pure figment of partisan politics. This dummy country, however will be solemnly discussed as if it were a real place and not a mirage which does not even possess the glamours or the illusions that are supposed to be the stock in trade of most well-behaved mirages in nature. At least this is the outlook presented by those Democrats who wish the United States to scuttle out of the islands in two years by the clock. Just what miracle is to come over the physical social and political relations of the islanders to each other and of the islands to the world at large and of the United States to the nations of the earth, who look to us as the sponsors and guardians for the group, the advocates of government by abandonment do not make clear. What is a Philippine fact compared with their creation of a rhetorical state where "every prospect pleases and only man," in the shape of hard-fisted people like Dean Worcester, who knows his Philippines from Jolo to Batangas, "is vile;" or, as the word vile really means, "common"—that is common enough not to believe in day dreams but in realities? With the debate thus robbed of the sordid need of sticking to actualities derived from secretarial reports and controversial statements, things ought to go on very merrily, indeed, in the halls of congress, and the "scoot and scuttle" orators can soar into "the illimitable azure of the ultimate inane," as one of them said on one occasion, and talk of the higher freedom for the Filipinos as dear objects of the white man's optimism, if not his burdens, and not worry at all over the concrete.—Public Ledger.

NO ADVERTSEMENTS FOR ROTTEN APPLES

A good man need never fear honest comment on the [illegible] of his neighbors. Only rascals dread the truth. A [illegible]d and four-square product has not defects to conceal. [illegible]e barrel of apples that is clean and honest to the bottom can be opened for anybody's inspection. And the man who sells them merely widens his market the more people talk about his apples. It is the chap whose bottom layers in the barrel won't stand the light who objects to thorough publicity. Why? Because the more customers known about his brand of apples the less likely they are to buy them. So it comes down to this—a good apple cannot be overadvertised, while a rotten apple cannot survive any newspaper or magazine type. That is true throughout the whole wide domain of business. The man who spends good money for a big advertising campaign is in the great majority of cases backed by a sound commodity. He couldn't afford to buy space to advertise rotten apples. And this fact is a rule of reason to be followed by buyers. It is always safer to purchase an article which occupies a place in the spotlight than to take a chance on something lying in a dark corner.

The Poor Richard Club's campaign to tell people about the methods and purposes of advertising—advertising advertisements—is a first-rate thing for the public. This is the age of reason. Knowledge for all, not a select few! It is the century of publicity and of turning on the light. We have just begun to appreciate the potency of printer's ink in trade, commerce and society generally. An advertisement deals with you face to face. Only the pickpocket works behind your back.—Public Ledger.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. McNaul, of Curwensville, attended court today.

The friends of Mrs. M. A. Buchanan will be glad to learn that she is improving from the diphtheria.

Mrs. Thomas Casey of Curwensville spent yesterday with her husband who is in the Clearfield hospital.

[illegible] Clearfield, Pa.

[illegible] MARKET CHART

[illegible] in Clearfield this week [illegible] Washington [illegible] commanded to leave by three o'clock [illegible] of the British army. After an officer had questioned him he was permitted to go back to the ship and on to Washington.

Today's Geographic Study of The Great European War Zone

"During the past months a steady stream of marching soldiers and endless trains of munitions used in mountain warfare have poured toward the Alpine battlements tarough mighty Brenner, one of Europe's passes richest in military history, the Thermoplyae of Tyrol, and the trough through which the northern invasion has most regularly descended upon the sunny fields of Italy," begins a primer on war geography issued today by the National Geographic Society. "From times immemorial, the northern tribes have sought the refinements and culture of the south over this wonderful Alpine saddle, first in face among all the gaps in the ranged Alpine defenses against the south; and a way which has echoed to the dying cries of warriors, and the clashing accoutrements of myriad Roman legions, and, to the noisy disorder of the passage of many armies as great as those going this way today, through more than 2,000 years of restless history.

"Innsbruck, the Tyrolean capital, is at the northern terminus of this way, while Botzen, is the largely Latinized metropolis of the South. Innsbruck is exclusively of the northland, surrounded by plums, apples, and fir trees, and Botzen, like Italy beyond the mountains, is in the midst of a region of vines, figs and olives. Botzen lies 3,600 feet lower than the summit of the pass.

"Historic points crowd one another along the Brenner. Many a barbarian tribe has come this way in search of the ease and plenty of the mild climates beyond, and many Roman legions have sought the wild tribes in their homes over the saddle of the Brenner. Guide stones of the time of Caracalla and Septimius Severus have been found buried here. Some of the world's greatest generals have traveled this path, north and south; and, here, the Tyrolese peasant, Andreas Hofer, the simple, untaught Austrian hero, proved himself a greater than one of the best officers of Napoleon.

"Memories of 2,000 years of stirring happenings fill the pass with romantic interest for the tourist who goes this way by carriage or on foot. A splendid roadway crosses the pass, as, also, one of the most important railway lines in Europe, a wonderful masterpiece of engineering skill, over which, in peace times, careless tourists from Berlin sped through the pass at 30 miles an hour, to Verona, Venice, and Palermo."

PECULIAR FACTS ABOUT WELL KNOWN PEOPLE

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 19.—Col. John P Irish, who has been a power [illegible] at the Port of San Francisco [illegible] both Democratic and Republican administrations, and who recently again became prominent through his denunciation in New York of Dr. Anna Shaw, never wears a necktie. Irish was appointed by Cleveland. Neckties, he says, are useless.

Francis Gilbert Dona. Mrs. Ida von Clausen Dona.

When Ida von Clausen, of New York, who had been confined in an asylum got out on a writ of a court, she promised she would remain in the custody of her brother. But she eluded him and ran off to get married. Since then she has been honeymooning, and this photograph of her and her husband at Atlantic City is the first taken since she ran away. Mrs. Dona once tried to see President Roosevelt because he had failed to compel the United States minister to Sweden to present her at court.

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DAILY LESSON IN HISTORY

One Hundred Years Ago Today

1816—The legislature of Missouri Territory passed a law making the common law of England the law of the Territory.

Seventy-Five Years Ago Today

1841—Lieut. Isaac Northrop, a Revolutionary pensioner, and one of the nine last surviving officers of the Connecticut line, died at Woodbridge, Conn.

Fifty Years Ago Today

1866—A large army of observation under Gen. Sheridan was encamped on the Rio Grande, ready to cross over into Mexico at a moment's notice.

Twenty Five Years Ago Today

1891—Gen. Miles officially announced the Indian outbreak at an end and congratulated his troops.

A WOMAN'S BACK

The Advice of This Clearfield Woman is of Certain Value.

Many a woman's back has many aches and pains.

Seldom 'tis the Liver's fault.

That's why Foley Kidney Pills are [illegible]

[illegible] Clearfield, says: "I was bothered [illegible] and on for some time with a lame through the small of my back, which caused me no little annoyance. Doan's Kidney Pills gave me fine relief, easing the pains through my back and making me feel better and stronger generally."

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THE SOCIAL

The monthly social to the pie social Friday evening, Jan. 28, 1916. To be held in the basement of the M. E. church in Woodland. Benefit of the church. Everybody made welcome.

OUR DAILY BIRTHDAY PARTY

Rt. Hon. Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland in the British ministry, born near Liverpool, 66 years ago today.

Eugene Brieux, a celebrated dramatist and member of the French Academy, born 58 years ago today.

Dr. George E. Horr, president of Newton Theological Seminary, born in Boston, 60 years ago today.

Dr. David Starr Jordan, chancellor of Leland Stanford, Jr., University, born at Gainesville, N. Y., 65 years ago today.

Albert J. Earling, president of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, born at Richfield, Wis., 67 years ago today.

Sherman Eddy, secretary for Asia of the International committee of the Y. M. C. A., born at Leavenworth, Kansas, 45 years ago today.

Prof. George Trumbull Ladd, of Yale University, born at Painesville, O., 74 years ago today.

Rev. John L. Nuelsen, bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, born at Zurich, Switzerland, 49 years ago today.

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George Washington was a surveyor in the wilderness before he turned his attention to the Potomac river. John Barleycorn throws thousands of men out of work.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

A. S. Moulthrop, of Penfield, announces himself as a candidate for the general assembly, subject to the action of the Republicans of Clearfield at their primary election, May 16, 1916. J. 15-2tf.

Dr. J. Currier, of Grampian, announces himself as a candidate for the General Assembly, subject to the action of the Republicans of Clearfield at their primary election, May 16, 1916. J. 15-3tf.

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SPORT NOTES

Hartford is again to have a grand circuit meeting in connection with the Connecticut Fair next September.

The Greensboro team of the North Carolina league will try jitney base ball next season. A season ticket good for sixty games will be sold for $6.00.

Despite his two knockouts at the hands of Farnk Moran, Jim Coffey does not intend to retire from the ring. He figures he is still able to obtain bouts in New York.

A total attendance of 203,174 was registered at the big and small golf courses in Jackson Park, Chicago, the past year.

Abe Attell, former holder of the featherweight championship, is out and a referee's license in New York.

As Mobile is to retain its franchise in the Southern league no changes in the circuit of that organization will take place for the present at least.

Harvard's base ball schedule calls for 23 games. A trip south will be made by most Virginia, Annapolis, Johns Hopkins and other teams in that section.

In view of the change in ownership of the Boston Braves the city council is to be asked to change the name of Gaffney Street, on which the ball park is located, to Haughton Street.

Pittsburgh fans would like to see Rebel Oakes a member of the Pirates. An manager of the Pittsburgh Feds last season Oakes proved to be a popular pastimer in Steeltown.

Danny Mowan, manager of Jack Britton, is trying to arrange for another bout between his charge and Ted Lewis. Dan claims that Britton wasn't "right" when Lewis put it over on him recently.

There were fifty-one applicants for the position of coach of the University of California foot ball squad. And nary a one of them landed the job.

Out of eighteen starts last season, Pitcher Bill Speneer of the Phillies didn't win a single game. And yet many base ball sharps believe he is a coming star.

"Mysterious Billy" Smith, who at one time was the class among welterweights, is now fighting relatives in the East before taking up his permanent residence in Alaska.

Catcher Leslie Nunemaker of the Yankees is putting in the off season acting as time keeper at hockey matches.

From all accounts Manager Jones of the St. Louis Browns made a wise choice when he picked Palestine, Tex., as a training ground for his outfit. Palestine has long been eager to entertain a big league ball team and big crowds are certain to turn out for the Browns' exhibition games.

BREWERS DO NOT COURT TRIAL

Austin, Jan. 19.—Although the cases of the State of Texas against the six leading brewing companies for alleged unlawful political activities and violations of the anti-trust laws, are docketed for trial at Galveston next March, it is said now to be practically assured that there will be no trial. Negotiations for a settlement of the controversy out of court have been in progress for some time.

It is stated that the officers of the companies as well as certain men of more or less political prominence in Texas, are very anxious that there be no public trial of the cases. While considerable testimony and evidence of a sensational character are already in the hands of the Attorney General as a result of the previous investigations, it is said other evidence could be secured in court. Subpoenas were issued for many things many persons, it is claimed that it is thought to have been destroyed, and will have to be brought to Galveston from Texas. A settlement of the case it is said by would mean the permanent injunction to prevent the brewing companies from further participation in political affairs.

WOULD HOLD EASTLAND OFFICIALS TO BAR

Grand Rapids, Jan. 19.—Six defendants in the Federal government's cases against those under indictment in connection with the steamship Eastland disaster in the Chicago River last summer are under summons to appear in the United States District court here tomorrow. At that time it was first planned proceedings would be begun by District Attorney [illegible] who seeks to have the defendants appear in the Illinois city to answer charges contained in the indictments. The defendants include two officers of the company that owned the Eastland, the captain and chief engineer of the steamship at the time of the disaster, and two Federal steamboat inspectors at Grand Haven.

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NATIONAL AMERICANIZATION CONGRESS ASSEMBLES TODAY

Foreign Born Immigrant Problem Will be Thoroughly Discussed

Philadelphia, Jan. 19.—The foreign born immigrant problem, which is expected to loom large on the American economic horizon at the close of the European war, is to be considered from every angle by the National Americanization Conference which assembled in this city today. The conference is attended by delegates appointed by the governors of numerous states and the mayors of many cities having a large foreign-born population. Employers, educational authorities and philanthropic agencies doing immigration work also are represented.

The conference aims to formulate a practical and comprehensive plan for the assimilation of immigrants into America's indusarial, social and civic life. Specific subjects scheduled for discussion include citizenship, education for adult immigrants, housing, the relationship between immigrant savings and American investments, American standards of living in immigrant communities and the immigrant in industry as well as economic and social preparedness.

The program calls for a mass meeting at the Metropolitan Opera House tomorrow night with Colonel Theodore Roosevelt as the chief speaker. His address, it is announced, will cover the topics of economic and social preparedness, immigration following the war and Americanization in its relation to national ideals, social, economic and commercial.

In addition to Col. Roosevelt the conference speakers will include John H. Fahey, of Boston, president of the United tates Chamber of Commerce; Mary Antin, well known as an author and social worker; Frank Trumbull, chairman of the board of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway, and William E. Knox, former president of the savings section of the American Bankers' Association.

WISCONSIN DRAINAGE CONFERENCE.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 19.—Addresses by prominent drainage experts of several states were presented here today at the opening sessions of the Wisconsin Drainage Association's annual convention. A large exhibition of dredging and drainage machinery is a feature of the convention, which will continue until Friday.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT LEAGUE.

Minneapolis, Jan. 19.—The circuit of the Northern base ball league for the coming season is expected to be more or less definitely decided upon tomorrow, when the club owners and officials will meet for a conference in this city. Of the six clubs that managed to finish the season last year it appears certain that two or more will be missing from the circuit when play begins next spring. Duluth, Winnipeg and Fargo are regarded as the only clubs certain to retain their franchises. Fort William and Virginia desire to retain their places in the organization if satisfactory arrangements can be made. A six franchise is expected to go to the copper towns of upper Michigan. This will leave the league with two franchises to dispose of in order to bring the organization up to its original eight-club circuit. There is talk of Superior rejoining the league. The eigth franchise probably will go to either Aberdeen or Sioux Falls. Both of the South Dakota cities have expressed a desire to get into the organization and both are willing to back their applications with ample financial guarantees.

LARGE NUMBER OF CHILDREN FAIL TO PASS BINET TEST

Cleveland, Jan. 19.—(By United Press.)—Although most of the city officials and 6 out of 7 school boards members failed to pass the Binet mental mentality test now officially put on all Cleveland school children, majority of the insane patients at Lowburg state hospital passed the test easily.

Clevelanders opposed to the Binet test cited these facts today in their fight to have the test abolished. The test is part of a system of examination under which 5,647 school children have been declared mentally defective. A child of 12, to be normal according to the Binet test, must, after hearing it once, repeat: "I saw in the street a pretty little dog. He had curly brown hair, short legs and a long tail."

PUPILS TO GIVE RECITAL

Thursday evening the pupils of the Susquehanna College of Music will give a recital in the auditorium of the new college building on Locust street. An interesting program has been prepared by Professor Thayer for this event. The entire program will be rendered by local talent.

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FIRST ECLIPSE OF THE YEAR.

Washington, Jan. 19.—American astronomers are furbishing up their telescopes and other instruments in preparation for taking observations of the partial eclipse of the moon, which according to the learned men of science is due to take place early tomorrow morning. The eclipse will be the first of the year 1916 and will be visible throughout the United States, providing, of course, that the weather conditions are favorable.

The moon will enter the penumbra at 1:05 A. M., Eastern time. No difference in its appearance will be noted at this time except that it will gradually lose part of its brightness At 2:55 A. M. the moon will enter the earth's shadow, which will gradually encroach on the bright disk until 8:40 nearly fourteen per cent. of the moon's diameter will be covered. The shadow will then begin to pass off, the eclipse proper ending at 4:36, although the moon will not leave the penumbra until 6:14 A. M. These figures are according to Washington or Eastern standard time. Persons living in other sections of the country may figure the time of the eclipse by substracting from these figures one hour for Central time, two hours for Rocky Mountain time, and three hours for Pacific time.

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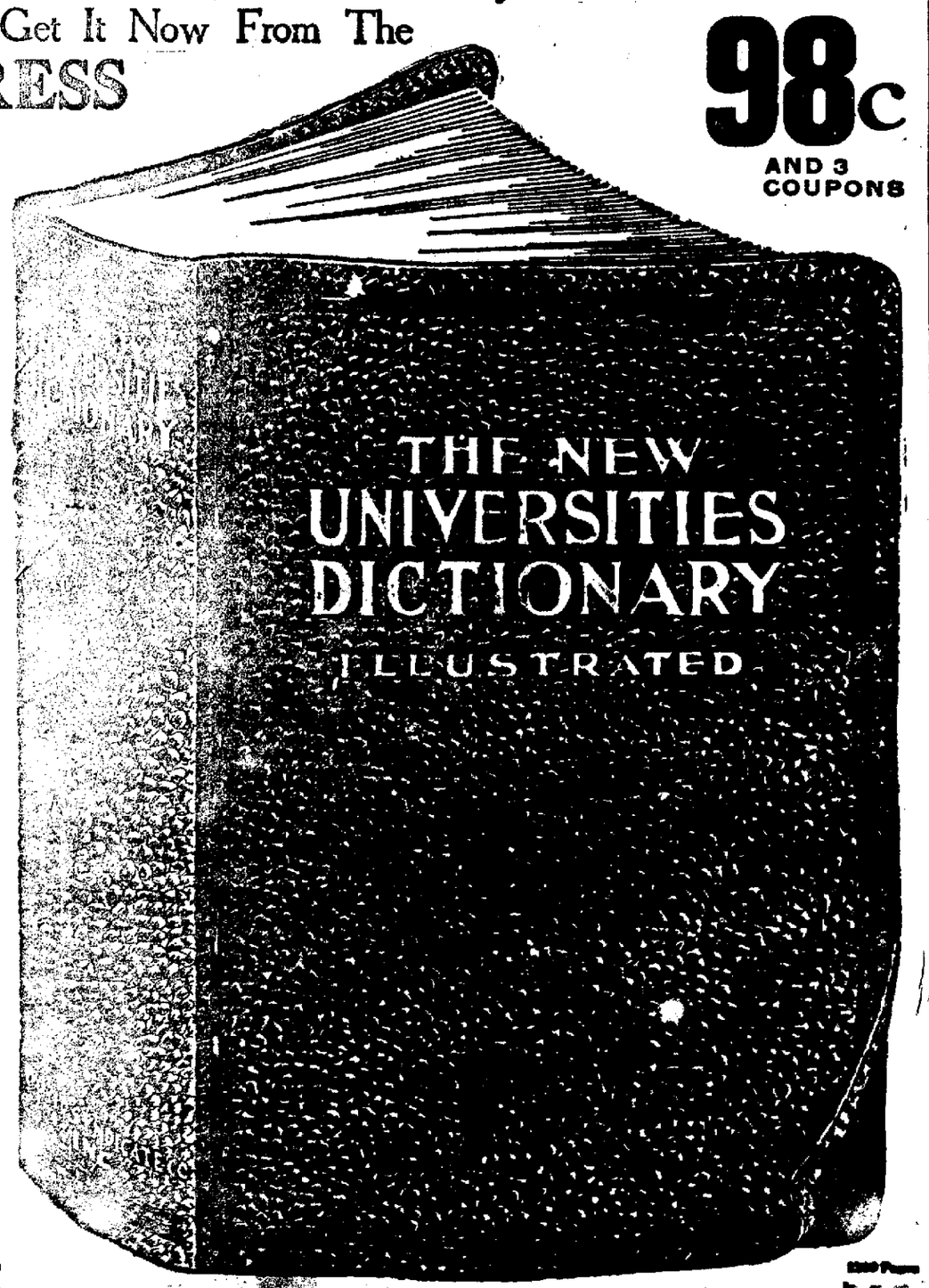

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Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Rev. W. A. Henderson a former rector of the St. Andrews Episcopal church here dropped dead of heart failure on Sunday at Zanesville, Ohio where he has been located.

Mrs. William B. Graves of DuBois, is visiting Mrs. J. R. Gearhart at her home on Locust street.

Paterson Shoff of Surveyor Run spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. J. E. Merris, of DuBois and Miss Lavina Eatherley, of Mississippi who is the house guest of Miss Helen Merris attended Bell's tea last evening.

Mrs. W. C. Hambold is quite ill at her rooms at the Bimeling.

Walter Lundergan of Pittsburg, is here to visit his wife who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cole. Mrs. Lundergan was taken to the Clearfield hospital this afternoon to undergo an operation.

Miss Lois Fegley of Grampian attended the Bell tea last evening.

Mrs. R. D. Swoope and daughter, Mary spent last evening in town.

John Arnold of DuBois, was attending license court today.

John C. Forsyth is attending to business matters at Harrisburg today.

C. W. Shillingford left today on a business trip to Philadelphia.

John Phillips, of Westover, was a guest at the home of his brother W. C. Phillips several days last week.

Arthur Littler, of Philadelphia, was a business visitor today.

Mrs. Will Spencer of Oregon, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Annie Berry on Margarette street left today for a visit with relatives in with friends in DuBois, Buffalo and with friends in DuBois, Buffalo and Akron before starting west. Mrs. Spencer was formerly from Clearfield county and has not been east for thirteen years.

Miss Anna Weir left this morning for Chicago where she has accepted a position. Miss Weir made her home here with her sister Mrs. Lemuel Root.

Mrs. W. D. Gates, of Curwensville, was shopping in town this morning.

CURWENSVILLE

T. F. Caley who is seriously ill at the Clearfield hospital appears to be improving according to reports last evening.

J. B. McMullen, of DuBois, had business in town yesterday.

E. E. Smith of Clearfield, was in town yesterday.

Bruce Norris, son of John W. Norris is quite sick at his home on State street.

J. T. Montgomery of DuBois, had business here yesterday.

Stanley Dudex has opened a tailor shop, over F. J. Dyer's new grocery store on Filbert street.

A. B Cooper, of Ridgeway, was in town yesterday morning.

H. H. Shaw, of Clearfield had business in town yesterday.

Last night the "Million Dollar Doll" proved itself to be one of the best shows of its kind on the road, before a large and appreciative crowd. It can easily be said it was the best show that has hit the burg in years.

Dave Fleming was a Clearfield caller this morning.

Arch Davidson attended license court at Clearfield yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zift of Grampian, took in the "Million Dollar Doll" last night.

L. H. Bilger had business at the county seat today.

CONTROLLING FOREST INSECTS.

Boston, Jan. 19.—"Forestry practice as a means of controlling insect depredations, with special reference to the gypsy moth" was the general subject of discussion at a conference of the Eastern Foresters' Association here today. State Forester Rane, of Massachusetts, presided over the conference. Addresses and papers were presented by th State Foresters and other forestry experts from many of the Eastern states.

TODAY'S ODDEST STORY.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 19.—Five hundred and eighty-one mayors of southern cities have been invited and more than half of them are expected to come here today to discuss the perplexing municipal problem of the traveling pauper, thousands of whom talk city administrations out of hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of transportation every year.

FARM SPECIALISTS COMPLETE SURVEY OF CHESTER COUNTY

Oats As Grain Crop Found Unprofitable--Other Important Discoveries Made

Survey Embraces Exhaustive of the Farming Operations of Hundreds of Farms in County—Results of Survey Published.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Under conditions such as prevail in Chester County, Pa., oats as a grain crop have been found unprofitable by specialists in farm management of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Chester County farmers are recommended either to drop them altogether and substitute an annual hay crop, or at least to cut the oats for hay rather than to harvest them for grain. This recommendation is based upon a thorough agricultural survey of the county which has just been made. It is probable that it is applicable also to other sections of the East, as well as to this particular county.

The survey embraced an exhaustive study of the farming operations of 643 farms in the southern part of Chester County. The results of this survey are now published in a bulletin, Farm Management Practice in Chester County, Pa.

"The fundamental principles of good farm management," says the bulletin, "are followed by the majority of Chester County farmers, but there is a large minority which neglects these principles, and in certain respects the methods followed by even the best farmers in the county could be changed to advantage."

The chief recommendation of the government specialists is that the standard rotation of the section be changed from a five-year to a six-year one. This standard rotation is at present as follows:

1, corn; 2, corn, potatoes, oats; 3, wheat; 4, timothy; 5, clover.

It should be altered to: 1, corn; 2, corn; 3, potatoes, annual hay crop; 4, wheat; 5, timothy; 6, clover.

This change eliminates oats—substituting an annual hay crop for them—and increases the acreage on the farm devoted to corn. The hay crop to be substituted for oats should be, preferably, soy beans. Before definitely adopting soy beans, however, as the standard hay crop of the section, it is suggested that farmers experiment with the crop and in the interval adopt the practice of cutting the oats for hay.

The investigators found that it does not pay to buy hay nor this region except where the cows on the farm are of the highest dairy type. The total hay area should occupy between 40 and 50 per cent. of the land in crops. A little more corn than needed for home use should also be grown.

Among the other important conclusions reached as a result of the survey are:

That dairying should normally be the leading enterprise, with about 1 cow to each 4 or 5 acres of crops grown. If the cows are better than the average, more than this should be kept.

That the average return per cow for dairy products is $80, and that where receipts per cow are less than $60 per year, the larger the herd the smaller the labor income.

That more heifer calves should be raised.

That steer feeding is not worth while as a main line of business except on large farms in localities where labor is not available for handling crops to best advantage.

That a few hogs should ordinarily be fed for the market.

That the region is not well adapted to sheep farming.

That flocks of 100 to 150 hens are more easily made profitable than larger or smaller flocks.

That fruit and truck should be grown chiefly for home use.

That potatoes probably occupy about their proper place in Chester County farming.

That yields per acre can profitably be increased up to about 40 per cent. above the average. After that, the labor income falls off.

That labor income increases with the size of the farm, and that the average for farms of less than forty acres is too low to keep up a good standard of living.

That farms where diversification is about the average for the section are usually more profitable than those where farming is either more or less diversified than the average.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

The Russian offensive toward Posen and southern East Prussia gained momentum. Angry England demanded reprisals for German air raids on undefended British towns. Hungary's secession from Austria and Franz Joseph's abdication when Italy enters the war, were predicted at Fiume, Austria.

The jurors who are hearing the evidence at Providence, R. I., against Mrs. Elizabeth T. Mohr, and two negroes on the charge that the three killed her husband were taken to the scene of the tragedy in automobiles. The doctor was shot to death on a lonely road near Providence and his housekeeper, Miss Berger, was badly wounded.

Expert Advice For the Automobile Owner

Queries and Replies Covering Matters of Importance to the Man Who Runs a Car

My car is hard to start in cold weather. Would increasing the number of dry batteries approximate a high tension magneto, and, again, would increasing the number of batteries injure the coil?

No. This would injure the coil by allowing an excessive current to flow through it. If your present cells are in good condition they should furnish a satisfactory spark for easy starting. The spark is probably all right, but the real difficulty is due to the gasoline not vaporizing. To overcome this trouble you might use a lighter grade of gasoline, such as you can probably obtain at your drug store. Ether might also be used. Either of these fuels may be injected through the priming cups or introduced through a special priming device. There are several devices on the market which facilitate starting on cold mornings by warming the fuel. One of these might be a good remedy for your trouble. You might also use a radiator heater to keep the motor warm at night.

Do you recommend the use of wood alcohol as anti-carbon treatment? When I used it the car smoked, but seemed to run better.

Wood alcohol should be satisfactory. Four ounces should be enough for each cylinder. After injection of the liquid to all cylinders the motor should be cranked a few times to distribute the alcohol to all parts of the combustion chambers.

What is the difference between a torque arm and a radius rod?

Radius rods are used in motorcars to maintain the rear axle in a fixed position with relation to the other driving members. Radius rods are used in pairs, one on each side of the axle. A torque arm is a rod or beam attached at one end to the rear axle and at the other to a frame cross member. The function of the torque member is to prevent the rear axle from twisting or tending to rotate because of the forces acting upon it in driving and braking.

Why does a motor smoke when it first starts for about five or ten minutes till it gets warm and then stops smoking?

This is probably due to metal expansion. When cold the piston and rings are loose and oil can get to the combustion chamber, but when hot there is less cylinder clearance and little, if any, oil gets to the chamber to be burned.

What final ratio is considered best on cars with 32 by 4 tires, and what speed should be obtained from this ratio?

The size of the tires is not the all important factor in determining the proper gear ratio, as there are many other points to be considered, such as the most efficient speed of the motor, the weight of the car, etc. These may so alter the proper gear ratio that the mere size of the tires becomes insignificant in determining the final reduction. With this in view, it is impossible to state that any given final reduction is best for a given tire size.

Some engines stop almost immediately after the switch is cut off, while others seem to lose their momentum gradually. Why is this?

When the switch is cut off on an engine it is merely a matter of bringing to rest the moving parts, which are no longer propelled by the explosion of the gases in the combustion chamber. Only one influence is probably great enough to be considered as the opposing factor to the movement of the motor, and this is the internal friction. When this has exerted its influence to such an extent that the motor is unable to turn itself over against the compression of the cylinders it will come to rest. The compression is not an opposing factor unless the momentum is insufficient to carry the motor over top center, because when it is carried over top center the expansion of the compressed air gives up practically all the power which was utilized in compressing it. If the compression is exceptionally heavy then the speed does not have to be reduced as far as it would if only a light compression were used before the engine will be unable to turn itself over the dead point. With these considerations it will be easily seen that a motor with tight bearings, tight piston rings and high compression will come to rest much quicker than one which has the opposite conditions. Of course a gas tight motor is more efficient under running conditions than one which is too free.

My car misfires under load, but if I take a hill running fast it will not misfire. I have cleaned and adjusted the breaker points, also the spark plugs. What can be the matter?

This may be caused by poor carbureter adjustment for low and intermediate; also by some derangement in the igniting system whereby there is an insufficient spark sent to the plugs at low engine speeds. It is possible that you adjusted the interrupter points improperly or that you set the plug gaps too wide. Leaks about the cylinder plugs and inlet manifold may cause the trouble.

What is the objection found to transmission gears built in and receiving the same oil as the cylinders? Is there any great objection to this oil as used in crank case as a lubricant to the transmission gears?

The main objection to this is that the lubricant which is suitable for cylinders is not suitable for gears. Gears require a viscous lubricant, which clings to the surface and provides a substantial film between the teeth. The gear wheel must be able to carry the oil around with it. In the cylinder the oil requirements are entirely different. The difficulties of high temperatures must be met with, and since an entirely different set of conditions are to be faced the oil will naturally have to be different if it is to provide ideal lubrication. Very often makers in the past have connected the gear set to the crank case, so that the oil in the latter worked its way to the former, and vice versa. These makers have gradually abandoned the method, however, as the oil from the crank case was not considered to be ideal for the gear set. Another great objection to the use of the interconnected gear set and crank case is that the car user would often put heavy oil in the gear box, with the result that it would work its way into the crank case and cause carbonization of the cylinders.

Is it necessary for the front wheels of a car to toe in, and, if so, how much?

It is customary to give the front wheels one-quarter inch foregather to facilitate steering.

What is it that causes the tapping sound in a motor when the spark is advanced too far, when motor is laboring? Why is it that this happens when a motor is new and the pistons, wrist pins and rings are absolutely tight and perfect fitting?

Very often with the spark advanced too far the pound given by the motor is simply the impact of the working parts transmitted to the volume of exploding gas in the combustion chamber. This is communicated throughout the motor, and the resonant qualities of the metal in the motor permit a pounding effect to ensue. With pistons that are in any way loose at the bottom the reversed power causes a slap, but even without the piston slap the pounding noise would be in evidence.

With the present tendency of putting the piston rings at the top and none at the bottom, there is sometimes a slap caused by the oscillating of the piston about one of the upper rings, brought on due to the reversal of power to preignition. It must be remembered, however, that even with the best fitting motors a change preignition will first say place where there is backlash, as the reaction even carries through the timing gears, valve mechanism, etc.

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BY WILBUR S. FORREST
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, Jan. 12.—(By United Press)—Is war responsible for a greater and increasing proportion of boy babies? This question is engaging the attention of British medical authorities following the Registrar-General's report that all records for boy babies born in 36 large towns in England and Wales have been broken during the last nine months.

As against 1,000 female births, 1,032 boys were born in January and March; 1,043 in April and June and 1,055 in July, August and September. Advance records indicate that the some natural law, yet undiscovered, ratio will be even greater from October to January, 1916. A theory that lends to the birth of more boys than girls during a nation's war stress is partially borne out by reports from Austria, where male births have exceeded female births during the war, to an even greater exeent than in England.

Prof. W. D. Halliburton, dean of medicine at King's College, London, discussing the subject, declared today that there is no scientific theory to justify the belief.

"The fact is there," he stated. "We must look upon it as a wise dispensation of Providence. One popular explanation is that the anxiety or privation of the mother during the pre-natal period has some influence on determining the sex of her child. But no scientific explanation warrants such an ido." Prof. Arthur Dendy, of the Zoological and Animal Biological faculty, King's College, declared that prevailing birth conditions could not be attributed to mere coincidence. He was unable to explain further.

Official records made public by the Registrar-General also said that the marriage rate for England and Wales during the last three months was the highest in history—21.8 persons per 1,000.

GRAMPIAN

Mrs. Amelia Spencer visited Mr. and Mrs. Murray Spencer on Sunday.

W. T. Thorpe is visiting relatives in and near Philadelphia at this time.

Misses Vinnie and Neva Spencer spent Friday night with Mrs. Frank Guiher.

Harvey Wrigleswoth visited with Ralph Rowles on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ellinger, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Wrigleswoth, Mr. and Mrs. William Wrigleswoth visited relatives at Bells Landing.

Mrs. J. E. Guiher is on the sick list.

Mrs. J. I. Spencer still continues on the sick list.

Mrs. John Wrigleswoth and daughter Erie is confined to the house with the grippe.

Miss orna Haley is visiting friends in DuBois.

A. J. Hartzfield and Lorena Hartzfield visited at William Foster's Sunday.

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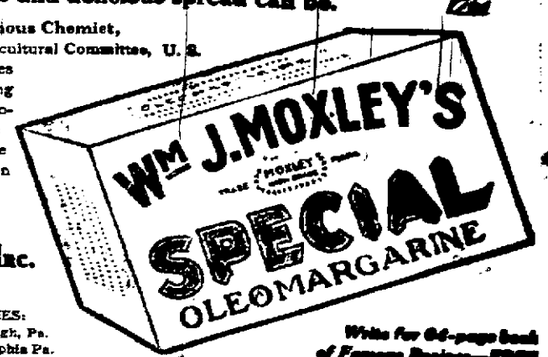

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Facts In Hoyt Case Warrant Inquiry By County Commission

Resignation Not of Record, and Salary As County Home Steward Paid After Appointment as Sealer

MANY LEGAL OPINIONS SUSTAIN THEORY

Here are additional facts developed by The Progress in the matter of the appointment of S. J. Hoyt, former steward of the county home, as sealer of weights and measures:

The salary of the steward and matron of the county home is $1000 per annum.

This sum is divided $600 for the steward and $400 for the matron.

It was Mr. Hoyt's custom to draw his salary monthly, $50 constituting payment for a full month's services.

Mr. Hoyt drew a full month's salary for December, 1915, an itimized bill including this payment being on file in the office of the county commissioners, and the warrant in payment is a part of the records of the county treasurer.

Mr. Hoyt's resignation, if it can be called such, is in the possession of the commissioner's clerk. It is dated December 29, 1915.

A carfeul examination of the minutes of the session of the board of commissioners for December 29, and for the session immediately preceeding, fail to record the existence of this resignation, either in acknowledging its receipt on recording its acceptance.

Thus it is established that Hoyt drew salary as steward of the county home, and actually served as steward of the county home, for at least three days in the month of December after his appointment as sealer of weights and measures.

It is established that his resignation is not a part of the records of the county.

It is established that his appointment to the position of sealer of weights and measures is not legal.

It is established that his resignation was a purely perfunctory act, not intended to be effective, and a part of the plan of the retiring commissioners to give a life position to a member of their own official family.

Pending the return of two members of the county commission who are absent on official business, no action has been taken looking to an inquiry into the legality of the appointment of S. J. Hoyt as sealer of weights and measures.

That such inquiry will be directed is conceded by those familiar with court house affairs, and that it will result in the ousting of Hoyt is accepted by lawyers and others who are of the opinion that the appointment was not made in accordance with the law.

As nearly as The Progress can guage it, sentiment is in favor of vacating Mr. Hoyt's office. The circumstances surrounding his appointment are objectionable to most people who have expressed themselves on the subject, and the danger of giving rise to legal complications appeals to others as sufficient reason for the new commissioners to cause his status to be determined before he begins his new duties.

Commissioners Spencer and Haney who are absent in Danville, will return home today. It is expected that the Hoyt matter will be laid before a full meeting of the commissioners tomorrow morning, and that the county solicitors will be asked to advise the board as to the legality of the appointment.

DELIGHTFUL TEA GIVEN IN HONOR OF GUEST YESTERDAY

Mrs. Singleton Bell and Daughters Entertain for Miss Helen Ferguson of New York

One of the loveliest teas that has ever been given in Clearfield was given yesterday afternoon from five till eight o'clock to about 75 guests by Mrs. Singleton Bell, Miss Bell and Miss Gertrude Bell at their home on West Front street in honor of Miss Helen Ferguson of New York City.

Mrs. Bell was beautifully gowned in lavender satin and silver lace. Miss Bell wore a lavender crepe-meteor and silk net, and wore a large bunch of violets. Miss Gertrude Bell wore an embroidered white crepe-de-chine and a large boquet of pink sweet peas, and Miss Ferguson was stunning in a gold net and gold cloth and wore violets

The house was tastefully decorated in smilax and carnations.

Those present from out of town were: Mrs. William Van Alen, Northumberland; Mrs. J. E. Merris, of DuBois; Mrs. R. D. Swoope and daughter Mary of Curwensville; Miss Lavina Eatherly, Mississippi; Miss Lois Fegley, of Grampian; and Mrs. William B. Graves of DuBois.

JERSEY SHORE WILL PLAY CLEARFIELD TEAM FRIDAY

Y. M. C. A. Team Has Developed Into One of Fastest in This Section of State

Friday evening the Y. M. C. A. basketball team will meet the strong Jersey Shore Y. team on the association gymnasium floor last Friday the local team demonstrated their ability to play basketball when they completely swamped the fast Huntingdon team in a very interesting game. The game this coming Friday gives promise of being considerably more interesting and exciting and will be the best played in Clearfield so far this season.

The residents of Clearfield have not been supporting the team as it should by turning out to the games. The present team under the direction of Coach Oberdick and captaincy of Jim Mitchell, has developed into one of the fastest in this section. Their playing is clean and fast and makes the game interesting for all spectators. It is completely worthy of support of every sport lover in this town. The price of admission is twenty-five cents. Game called at 8 15.

TRAIN STRIKES AUTOMOBILE NEAR ORCUTT'S GARAGE

Last evening the six o'clock passenger train on the Pennsylvania road struck the automobile owned by Dr. W. S. Piper badly damaging it. Dr. Piper had gone into the Orcutt garage and left his car stand partly on the tracks. The result was when the train came along it struck the car on the back end doing considerable damage. Fortunately no one was in the car.

C. M. REED AND FAMILY LEAVE FOR SAN DIEGO

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Reed and little daughter Maud, leave today for Jackson, Mich., to remain until Sunday where their son William will join them en route to Long Beach, Cal. Mr. and Mrs. Reed and family intend visiting the San Diego exposition, and will spend two months at various places along the coast.

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Last evening Rev. O. B. Poulson was greeted by a larger congregation. His text was Ex. 32:26, "Who is on the Lord's side?" The sermon was a practical application of the text to the necessity of a personal self-examination of man's relation to God. It will not do for us to rest content with any kind of relation, or with an equivocal relation. The sermon was well received and prayers of consecration followed the sermon. The chorus did well. Everybody invited this evening.

STAUFFER—CHURCHILL

Yesterday noon at the residence of Paul Stauffer, 308 Margueretta St., by Rev. H. R. Bender, James B Stauffer, of Burnside, Pa., to Alice Houck Churchill, of Lovejoy, Pa. After the wedding a good dinner was served, and then the bride and groom took the train for Tyrone, and thence for the east or west.

DANCE IN OPERA HOUSE HALL

The Italian band will hold a dance in the opera house hall January 26 to which the public is cordially invited.

Here are eight of the nineteen mining men killed under orders of Villa soldiers in Mexico. Seven of them are Americans employed in the mining company at Cusi. They are from left to right: Ernest L. Robinson, chemist of the company; R. P. McHatton, secretary; T. M. Evans; Maurice Andersen; W. J. Wallace; general manager; W. B. Romero, a Mexican; G. W. Newman, a mining engineer, and C. R. Watson, superintendent

COAL OPERATORS OF CENTRAL PA. MET YESTERDAY

Association Will Not Join Four-State Agreement---Officers For 1916 Elected

No Trouble Is Expected With the Miners in Reaching Agreement Aprli First—Pittsburgh Association May Not Join Four-State Agreement.

The Bituminous Coal Operators association of Central Pennsylvania met in the operators rooms in the Kurtz building yesterday morning at eleven o'clock for the purpose of electing officers and adopting policies to be pursued in regard to the new scale agreement to be signed with the miners for two years beginning April 1.

Just fifty operators from all parts of the district were present when the election was held. It resulted as follows: President, B. M. Clark; vice president, Harry Boulton; secretary-treasurer, John C. Forsythe, executive committee, L. W. Robinson, Rembandt Peale, R. A. Hatfield, Harry Boulton, W. A. May, Chester Langdon, L. C. Maderia, J. E. Evans, H. B. Douglas, W. R. Craig, C. B. Maxwell, T. H. Watkins, I. A. Boucher, Morris A. Thompkins and J. R. Caseley.

One of the things decided upon before the noon recess was the matter of combining with the operators of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois in the so-called four-state agreement. This idea was quickly settled by a decision to remain independent as heretofore. It was also hinted around during the discussion that the operators of the Pittsburg district, who have heretofore joined in the fourstate agreement, have decided to deal independently with the miners upon the new scale.

The operators present represented the entire central Pennsylvania coal region and it was the spirit of the first meeting that there would not be much trouble manifested in reaching an agreement with the miners when the present scale expired.

A report gained wide circulation throughout the bituminous field today due to a newspaper dispatch from Indianapolis, that the operators and miners of Central Pennsylvania would deal through the four-state committees, but the meeting at Clearfield has discredited this. It is known that the operators of this district did not have representatives at the Chicago conference which decided to meet with the miners' officials. It was from that meeting that the report of the co-operation with the four-state organization eminated. The operators of this district hold some advantages in their present agreement with their workers that the operators of other fields do not possess and it is chiefly because they do not care to risk losing those advantages and believe that they can recah a better agreement that the Central Pennsylvania operators decided to go it independently.

Madame C. Dupuis of Boston, Mass., arrived on last evening express to spend a visit with her daughter, Mrs. R. H. Fullerton on Market street.

D. A. R. ELECT OFFICERS AND DELEGATES YESTERDAY

Large Number of Members Present For Yearly Election---Refreshments Served

The monthly meeting of the Susquehanna chapter of the Daughter of the American Revolution was held yesterday afternoon in the Woman's club building on Market street at which a large number of the members were present. Following a short business meeting, officers for the year were elected. Refreshments consisting of tea and sandwitches were served.

The following officers were elected:
Regent, Miss Alice Dill.
Vice regent, Mrs. W. I. Swoope.
Secretary, Mrs. James Horton.
Registrar, Mrs. Frank Reed.
Treasurer, Mrs. Reuben Nevling.
Historian, Mrs. Edwards.
Corresponding Secretary Miss Jennie Bigler.

The following delegates to the National convention elected: Miss Alice Dill, Miss Amelia Bigler, Mrs. A. E. Patton, Mrs. Harry Kratzer, Mrs. R. D. Swoope, Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. David L. Krebs, Mrs. John Leitzinger, Mrs. Harry Dowler, Mrs. James P. OLaughlin, Mrs. W. I. Betts, Mrs. James Horton and Miss Jessie McPherson.

WOMEN WLL MAKE SURGICAL DRESSINGS FOR HOSPITAL

Women Have Shipped Two Boxes of Work to Hospitals at Front

The Woman's Surgical dressings committee having shipped two boxes of their work to headquarters and the work was pronounced excellent. The committee has now decided to sew for the Clearfield hospital for the next two weeks and will sew articles like those sent to the wounded. All women interested are urged to help, and any information desired will be gladly given by any of the committee All articles are to be sent to the home of Mrs. A. O. Smith and sewing circles will be formed at various centers.

Mrs. A. O. Smith, chairman; Mrs. H. F. Wallace, Miss Ella Shaw, Miss Jennie Bigler, Mrs. Frank Row, Mrs. Anna Kennard, Mrs. Ida Martin Mrs. F. B. Irwin, Secretary. J. 19-3te.o.d.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS THURSDAY EVENING

Camp 25 P. O. of A. will hold a public installation of their officers at their lodge rooms on Second street, Thursday evening, Jan. 20. The doors will open at 8:30 o'clock to the public. A short program has been prepared which will be given after the officer have been installed. Everybody welcome. Jan. 19-3t.

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Many Arrests Made In Plot To Blow Up Chinese Emperor

Acceptance of Throne Has Been Followed by Outbreaks and Demonstrations and Plan to Unseat Ruler

REVOLUTION RAPIDLY SPREADING

Pekin, Jan. 19. (By United Press)—Numerous arrests were made here today in a plot to blow up Yuan Shi Kai who recently accepted the Chinese throne. Explosives were discovered in the Emperor's palace.

Yuan Shi Kai's acceptance of the Chinese throne has been followed by several outbreaks and demonstrations by anti-monarchists and finally by the plan to unseat the Chinese ruler. Though government troops were dispatched to Yumman province where the rebellion started more than two weeks ago, Pekin has not yet claimed the suppression of the revolutionists who were reported to number more than 300,000. Advices have reached Tokio to the effect that the revolution has spread to other provinces.

FREE MATINEES WILL BE GIVEN AT AVON THEATRE

Mr. Harder Will Announce Plan Soon —All School Children Will be Admitted

About five hundred children were delightfully entertained at the Avon theatre yetserday afternoon after school hours by the presentation of a fine program of moving pictures. The event was "Potato Day" and a donation of five bushels of potatoes were received at the Children's home on Spruce street.

Mr. Harder the manager, stated this morning that it was impossible for him to show as many pictures as he had intended owing to the large crowd and limited time. He also stated that he intends giving a series of free matinees, so that every boy and girl attending school may have an opportunity of seeing a fine program of movie pictures.

The plan for these free entertainments will be announced in the Avon advertisements as soon as Mr. Harder has consulted with Prof. Zerfoss of the public schools and Father Ryan of the Parochial school.

The generous plan of the Avon will certainly be hailed with delight by the school children.

STATE'S WITNESS TESTIFIES IN MOHR MURDER TRIAL

Says Mrs. Mohr Said She Could Hire Thugs to Kill Dr. Mohr

Providence, R. I. Jan. 19. (By United Press)—The direct charge that Mrs. Elizabeth Mohr had declared she "could hire a couple of thugs and have Dr. Mohr murdered" was made by George Rooks from the witness stand today when he was called by the state in the trial of the slain physician's widow charged with instigating the shooting of her husband. Rooks is the brother-in-law of Miss Emily Burger, Dr. Mohr's office assistant who was with him on the night of the murder and was wounded. He told of Mrs. Mohr's visits to his office. "On her first visit to me in January, 1914, Mrs. Mohr said she could hire a couple of thugs and have Dr. Mohr murdered. She said Miss Burger would never live to marry her husband, but said she would give the doctor a divorce for $30,00 and a home.

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MIRKINS

DEATH ORDER THROWS CHILL OF HORROR INTO BANDITS

Villista Leader to be Shot Today and Corpse Added to Public Display

El aso, Jan. 19. (By United Press)—Carranza's death order has thrown a chill of horror into the hearts of Mexican bandits. The public parade of the corpses of bandits to show the fate of the lawless, has driven the outlaws farther into the interior today.

With the reported murder of two two more Americans near Torreson still unconfirmed, Carranza officials in Juarez were confident that the campaign of exterminating would satisfactory avenge the slaughter of eighteen Americans at Santa Ysabel. Enrique Cisneros a Villista leader, will be the next to die. After he is shot here or in Chihuahua City, his corpse will be added to the public display of the dead bodies of Jose Rodriguez and iguel Valles.

FIRST STEPS TAKEN TODAY FOR NEW WAGE SCALE

President White Appoints Committee For Framing the New Rates

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 19. (By United Press)—The first step of the United mine Workers of America in the forming of new wage scale demands on operators was taken today when President John White appointed the wage scale committee consisting of one representative from each of the districts. In naming the committee White explained that the last convention chose to advance the president this power through a resolution but since this was not a constitutional resolution he assumed the right.

White offered to let the districts name their own committeemen, but no action was taken. When the auditors report was read today an item of $13,000 for shoes for the Ohio strikers during their strike attracted great attention.

MOVE TO PRES... LAST LARGE T... VIRGIN PINE ...

Hon. J. E. Phillips A... Meeting of Wild Life L... At New Castle Last ...

Move is Made to Make T... Cook Estate in Clearfield and J... ferson Counties a State Game P... serve and Park.

At the meeting of sportsmen ... those interested in the Wild ... league, held in the office of Alderman Green last night, and addressed ... Representative Phillips, of Clearfield County, and some others, the ... which has been started to ... the last big tract of virgin ... the state, and have it made a ... game preserve and park, was discussed.

There is a tract of virgin ... hemlock of 7,600 acres on what ... known as the Cook estate in Clearfield and Jefferson Counties. Effort has been made to have the state purchase the tract for a state park and game preserve, but so far without success. Members of the Wild Life league and others throughout the state, who are interested, are now making an effort to secure enough funds to option the site and hold it until the state can purchase it, in an effort to prevent it from being destroyed.

It would cost probably $500,000 for the state to purchase the tract, but the Wild Life league members are hopeful of raising enough money to option it for some time. It would be the plan to establish fish hatcheries, and game preserves on the tract.

Representative Phillips as the principal speaker at the meeting of the Lawrence County branch of the Wild life league, in addition to telling of the park plans, urged the co-operation of the hunters and farmers in endeavors to preserve the game of the state, through the enforcement of the existing game laws. The Wild Life league has been formed for the purpose of assisting the farmer in every way possible to conserve the game. Unless this is done it was pointed out that it will not be many years before there will be no game worth speaking of in the state. It is impossible for the different game wardens to enforce the laws without assistance as they are expected to look after too much territory. Every member of the Wild Life league is expected to assist the warden by bringing to his attention any violations of the game laws that may come under his notice.

Addresses were also made by R. T. Brown and Matthew Riley, of Ellwood City. They were along the line of local organization in addition to the county organization. A local has already been organized at Ellwood City, and it is proposed to organize one in New Castle. This will not interfere in any way with the work of the county organization, but will be of advantage in assisting this work.

The meeting was well attended and considerable interest was manifested. —From New Castle News of January 13, 1916.

THOUSANDS OF PRIESTS NOW IN FRENCH ARMY

(By United Press)

Paris, Jan. 12.—(By Mail.)—Nearly thirteen thousand ministers and priests are today serving in various capacities with the French army, according to statistics just given out by the Minister of War. The government itself has assigned as chaplains with regiments 151 Catholic priests, 28 Protestant ministers, and 14 rabbis. There is about an equal number of chaplains who have volunteered their services and been allowed to go with the troops. Most of the ecclesiastics are serving as nurses. Their total numbers 12,500.

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THE PHILIPPINE MIRAGE

Just as Bryan created a Mexico which had no existence in fact to suit his infantile ideas of statecraft so the Democrats in congress seem to have made up their minds to make an artificial Philippines which will be a pure figment of partisan politics. This dummy country, however will be solemnly discussed as if it were a real place and not a mirage which does not even possess the glamours or the illusions that are supposed to be the stock in trade of most well-behaved mirages in nature. At least this is the outlook presented by those Democrats who wish the United States to scuttle out of the islands in two years by the clock. Just what miracle is to come over the physical social and political relations of the islanders to each other and of the islands to the world at large and of the United States to the nations of the earth, who look to us as the sponsors and guardians for the group, the advocates of government by abandonment do not make clear. What is a Philippine fact compared with their creation of a rhetorical state where "every prospect pleases and only man," in the shape of hard-fisted people like Dean Worcester, who knows his Philippines from Jolo to Batangas, "is vile;" or, as the word vile really means, "common"—that is common enough not to believe in day dreams but in realities? With the debate thus robbed of the sordid need of sticking to actualities derived from secretarial reports and controversial statements, things ought to go on very merrily, indeed, in the halls of congress, and the "scoot and scuttle" orators can soar into "the illimitable azure of the ultimate inane," as one of them said on one occasion, and talk of the higher freedom for the Filipinos as dear objects of the white man's optimism, if not his burdens, and not worry at all over the concrete.—Public Ledger.

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A good man need never fear honest comment on the [illegible] of his neighbors. Only rascals dread the truth. A [illegible]d and four-square product has not defects to conceal. [illegible]e barrel of apples that is clean and honest to the bottom can be opened for anybody's inspection. And the man who sells them merely widens his market the more people talk about his apples. It is the chap whose bottom layers in the barrel won't stand the light who objects to thorough publicity. Why? Because the more customers known about his brand of apples the less likely they are to buy them. So it comes down to this—a good apple cannot be overadvertised, while a rotten apple cannot survive any newspaper or magazine type. That is true throughout the whole wide domain of business. The man who spends good money for a big advertising campaign is in the great majority of cases backed by a sound commodity. He couldn't afford to buy space to advertise rotten apples. And this fact is a rule of reason to be followed by buyers. It is always safer to purchase an article which occupies a place in the spotlight than to take a chance on something lying in a dark corner.

The Poor Richard Club's campaign to tell people about the methods and purposes of advertising—advertising advertisements—is a first-rate thing for the public. This is the age of reason. Knowledge for all, not a select few! It is the century of publicity and of turning on the light. We have just begun to appreciate the potency of printer's ink in trade, commerce and society generally. An advertisement deals with you face to face. Only the pickpocket works behind your back.—Public Ledger.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. McNaul, of Curwensville, attended court today.

The friends of Mrs. M. A. Buchanan will be glad to learn that she is improving from the diphtheria.

Mrs. Thomas Casey of Curwensville spent yesterday with her husband who is in the Clearfield hospital.

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[illegible] Clearfield, Pa.

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Today's Geographic Study of The Great European War Zone

"During the past months a steady stream of marching soldiers and endless trains of munitions used in mountain warfare have poured toward the Alpine battlements tarough mighty Brenner, one of Europe's passes richest in military history, the Thermoplyae of Tyrol, and the trough through which the northern invasion has most regularly descended upon the sunny fields of Italy," begins a primer on war geography issued today by the National Geographic Society. "From times immemorial, the northern tribes have sought the refinements and culture of the south over this wonderful Alpine saddle, first in face among all the gaps in the ranged Alpine defenses against the south; and a way which has echoed to the dying cries of warriors, and the clashing accoutrements of myriad Roman legions, and, to the noisy disorder of the passage of many armies as great as those going this way today, through more than 2,000 years of restless history.

"Innsbruck, the Tyrolean capital, is at the northern terminus of this way, while Botzen, is the largely Latinized metropolis of the South. Innsbruck is exclusively of the northland, surrounded by plums, apples, and fir trees, and Botzen, like Italy beyond the mountains, is in the midst of a region of vines, figs and olives. Botzen lies 3,600 feet lower than the summit of the pass.

"Historic points crowd one another along the Brenner. Many a barbarian tribe has come this way in search of the ease and plenty of the mild climates beyond, and many Roman legions have sought the wild tribes in their homes over the saddle of the Brenner. Guide stones of the time of Caracalla and Septimius Severus have been found buried here. Some of the world's greatest generals have traveled this path, north and south; and, here, the Tyrolese peasant, Andreas Hofer, the simple, unthought Austrian hero, proved himself a greater than one of the best officers of Napoleon.

"Memories of 2,000 years of stirring happenings fill the pass with romantic interest for the tourist who goes this way by carriage or on foot. A splendid roadway crosses the pass, as, also, one of the most important railway lines in Europe, a wonderful masterpiece of engineering skill, over which, in peace times, careless tourists from Berlin sped through the pass at 30 miles an hour, to Verona, Venice, and Palermo."

PECULIAR FACTS ABOUT WELL KNOWN PEOPLE

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 19.—Col. John P Irish, who has been a power [illegible] at the Port of San Francisco [illegible] both Democratic and Republican administrations, and who recently again became prominent through his denunciation in New York of Dr. Anna Shaw, never wears a necktie. Irish was appointed by Cleveland. Neckties, he says, are useless.

Francis Gilbert Dona. Mrs. Ida von Clausen Dona.

When Ida von Clausen, of New York, who had been confined in an asylum got out on a writ of a court, she promised she would remain in the custody of her brother. But she eluded him and ran off to get married. Since then she has been honeymooning, and this photograph of her and her husband at Atlantic City is the first taken since she ran away. Mrs. Dona once tried to see President Roosevelt because he had refused to compel the United States minister to Sweden to present her passport.

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Seventy-Five Years Ago Today

1841—Lieut. Isaac Northrop, a Revolutionary pensioner, and one of the nine last surviving officers of the Connecticut line, died at Woodbridge, Conn.

Fifty Years Ago Today

1866—A large army of observation under Gen. Sheridan was encamped on the Rio Grande, ready to cross over into Mexico at a moment's notice.

Twenty Five Years Ago Today

1891—Gen. Miles officially announced the Indian outbreak at an end and congratulated his troops.

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Eugene Brieux, a celebrated dramatist and member of the French Academy, born 58 years ago today.

Dr. George E. Horr, president of Newton Theological Seminary, born in Boston, 60 years ago today.

Dr. David Starr Jordan, chancellor of Leland Stanford, Jr., University, born at Gainesville, N. Y., 65 years ago today.

Albert J. Earling, president of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, born at Richfield, Wis., 67 years ago today.

Sherman Eddy, secretary for Asia of the International committee of the Y. M. C. A., born at Leavenworth, Kansas, 45 years ago today.

Prof. George Trumbull Ladd, of Yale University, born at Painesville, O., 74 years ago today.

Rev. John L. Nuelsen, bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, born at Zurich, Switzerland, 49 years ago today.

AUCTION SALE

At the

Allegheny Hotel Barn,

Clearfield, Pa., on

Thursday, Jan. 20, 1916, at 12:30 P. M.

Consisting of an express car load of Pennsylvania [illegible] horses, broke to [illegible] harness, [illegible] and [illegible] kind of [illegible].

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	Invested Capital	Deposits
December 5, 1911	$1,[illegible]06.05	$[illegible]35.19
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The Harbison-Walker Refractories Co., General Refractories Co., and Bickford Fire Brick company have granted an increase in wages to take effect February 1, 1916. J. 12-2t.

George Washington was a surveyor in the wilderness before he turned his attention to the Potomac river. John Barleycorn throws thousands of men out of work.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

A. S. Moulthrop, of Penfield, announces himself as a candidate for the general assembly, subject to the action of the Republicans of Clearfield at their primary election, May 16, 1916. J. 15-2tf.

Dr. J. Currier, of Grampian, announces himself as a candidate for the General Assembly, subject to the action of the Republicans of Clearfield at their primary election, May 16, 1916. J. 15-3tf.

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Clearfield County Kitchen

SPORT NOTES

Hartford is again to have a grand circuit meeting in connection with the Connecticut Fair next September.

The Greensboro team of the North Carolina league will try jitney base ball next season. A season ticket good for sixty games will be sold for $6.00.

Despite his two knockouts at the hands of Farnk Moran, Jim Coffey does not intend to retire from the ring. He figures he is still able to obtain bouts in New York.

A total attendance of 203,174 was registered at the big and small golf courses in Jackson Park, Chicago, the past year.

Abe Attell, former holder of the featherweight championship, is out and a referee's license in New York.

As Mobile is to retain its franchise in the Southern league no changes in the circuit of that organization will take place for the present at least.

Harvard's base ball schedule calls for 23 games. A trip south will be taken by most Virginia, Annapolis, Johns Hopkins and other teams in that section.

In view of the change in ownership of the Boston Braves the city council is to be asked to change the name of Gaffney Street, on which the ball park is located, to Haughton Street.

Pittsburgh fans would like to see Rebel Oakes a member of the Pirates. An manager of the Pittsburgh Feds last season Oakes proved to be a popular pastimer in Steeltown.

Danny Mowan, manager of Jack Britton, is trying to arrange for another bout between his charge and Ted Lewis. Dan claims that Britton wasn't "right" when Lewis put it over on him recently.

There were fifty-one applicants for the position of coach of the University of California foot ball squad. And nary a one of them landed the job.

Out of eighteen starts last season, Pitcher Bill Speneer of the Phillies didn't win a single game. And yet many base ball sharps believe he is a coming star.

"Mysterious Billy" Smith, who at one time was the class among welterweights, is now fighting relatives in the East before taking up his permanent residence in Alaska.

Catcher Leslie Nunemaker of the Yankees is putting in the off season acting as time keeper at hockey matches.

From all accounts Manager Jones of the St. Louis Browns made a wise choice when he picked Palestine, Tex., as a training ground for his outfit. Palestine has long been eager to entertain a big league ball team and big crowds are certain to turn out for the Browns' exhibition games.

BREWERS DO NOT COURT TRIAL

Austin, Jan. 19.—Although the cases of the State of Texas against the six leading brewing companies for alleged unlawful political activities and violations of the anti-trust laws, are docketed for trial at Galveston next March, it is said now to be probable that instead there will be no trial. Negotiations for a settlement out of court have been in progress for some time.

It is stated that the officers of the companies as well as certain men of more or less political prominence in Texas, are very anxious that there be no public trial of the cases. While considerable testimony and evidence of a sensational character are already in the hands of the Attorney General as a result of the prosecutions, it is said other evidence could be secured in court. Subpoenas were issued for [illegible] but it is thought to [illegible] will have to be brought to Texas. A settlement of the suits by which the State will [illegible] permanent injunctions to [illegible] brewing companies from [illegible] participation in political affairs.

WOULD BLAME EASTLAND OFFICIALS TO BAR

Grand Rapids, Jan. 19.—Six defendants in the Federal government's cases against those under indictment in connection with the steamship Eastland disaster in the Chicago River last summer are under summons to appear in the United States District court here tomorrow. At that time it was [illegible] by Special Attorney [illegible] who seeks to have [illegible] to appear at the [illegible] Chicago to answer [illegible] contained in the [illegible] documents include [illegible] of the company that owned the Eastland, the captain and chief engineer of the steamship at the time of the disaster, and two Federal steamboat inspectors at Grand Haven.

A woman's dimples may be one of the greatest [illegible] on earth.

NATIONAL AMERICANIZATION CONGRESS ASSEMBLES TODAY

Foreign Born Immigrant Problem Will be Thoroughly Discussed

Philadelphia, Jan. 19.—The foreign born immigrant problem, which is expected to loom large on the American economic horizon at the close of the European war, is to be considered from every angle by the National Americanization Conference which assembled in this city today. The conference is attended by delegates appointed by the governors of numerous states and the mayors of many cities having a large foreign-born population. Employers, educational authorities and philanthropic agencies doing immigration work also are represented.

The conference aims to formulate a practical and comprehensive plan for the assimilation of immigrants into America's indusarial, social and civic life. Specific subjects scheduled for discussion include citizenship, education for adult immigrants, housing, the relationship between immigrant savings and American investments, American standards of living in immigrant communities and the immigrant in industry as well as economic and social preparedness.

The program calls for a mass meeting at the Metropolitan Opera House tomorrow night with Colonel Theodore Roosevelt as the chief speaker. His address, it is announced, will cover the topics of economic and social preparedness, immigration following the war and Americanization in its relation to national ideals, social, economic and commercial.

In addition to Col. Roosevelt the conference speakers will include John H. Fahey, of Boston, president of the United tates Chamber of Commerce; Mary Antin, well known as an author and social worker; Frank Trumbull, chairman of the board of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway, and William E. Knox, former president of the savings section of the American Bankers' Association.

WISCONSIN DRAINAGE CONFERENCE.

Grand Rapids, Jan. 19.—Addresses by prominent drainage experts of several states were presented here today at the opening sessions of the Wisconsin Drainage Association's annual convention. A large exhibition of dredging and drainage machinery is a feature of the convention, which will continue until Friday.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT LEAGUE.

Minneapolis, Jan. 19.—The circuit of the Northern base ball league for the coming season is expected to be more or less definitely decided upon tomorrow, when the club owners and officials will meet for a conference in this city. Of the six clubs that managed to finish the season last year it appears certain that two or more will be missing from the circuit when play begins next spring. Duluth, Winnipeg and Fargo are regarded as the only clubs certain to retain their franchises. Fort William and Virginia desire to retain their places in the organization if satisfactory arrangements can be made. A six franchise is expected to go to the copper towns of upper Michigan. This will leave the league with two franchises to dispose of in order to bring the organization up to its original eight-club circuit. There is talk of Superior rejoining the league. The eigth franchise probably will go to either Aberdeen or Sioux Falls. Both of the South Dakota cities have expressed a desire to get into the organization and both are willing to back their applications with ample financial guarantees.

LARGE NUMBER OF CHILDREN FAIL TO PASS BINET TEST

Cleveland, Jan. 19.—(By United Press.)—Although most of the city officials and 6 out of 7 school boards members failed to pass the Binet mental mentality test now officially put on all Cleveland school children, majority of the insane patients at Lowburg state hospital passed the test easily.

Clevelanders opposed to the Binet test cited these facts today in their fight to have the test abolished. The test is part of a system of examination under which 5,647 school children have been declared mentally defective. A child of 12, to be normal according to the Binet test, must, after hearing it once, repeat: "I saw in the street a pretty little dog. He had curly brown hair, short legs and a long tail."

PUPILS TO GIVE RECITAL

Thursday evening the pupils of the Susquehanna College of Music will give a recital in the auditorium of the new college building on Locust street. An interesting program has been prepared by Professor Thayer for this event. The entire program will be rendered by local talent.

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FIRST ECLIPSE OF THE YEAR.

Washington, Jan. 19.—American astronomers are furbishing up their telescopes and other instruments in preparation for taking observations of the partial eclipse of the moon, which according to the learned men of science is due to take place early tomorrow morning. The eclipse will be the first of the year 1916 and will be visible throughout the United States, providing, of course, that the weather conditions are favorable.

The moon will enter the penumbra at 1:05 A. M., Eastern time. No difference in its appearance will be noted at this time except that it will gradually lose part of its brightness At 2:55 A. M. the moon will enter the earth's shadow, which will gradually encroach on the bright disk until 8:40 nearly fourteen per cent. of the moon's diameter will be covered. The shadow will then begin to pass off, the eclipse proper ending at 4:36, although the moon will not leave the penumbra until 6:14 A. M. These figures are according to Washington or Eastern standard time. Persons living in other sections of the country may figure the time of the eclipse by substracting from these figures one hour for Central time, two hours for Rocky Mountain time, and three hours for Pacific time.

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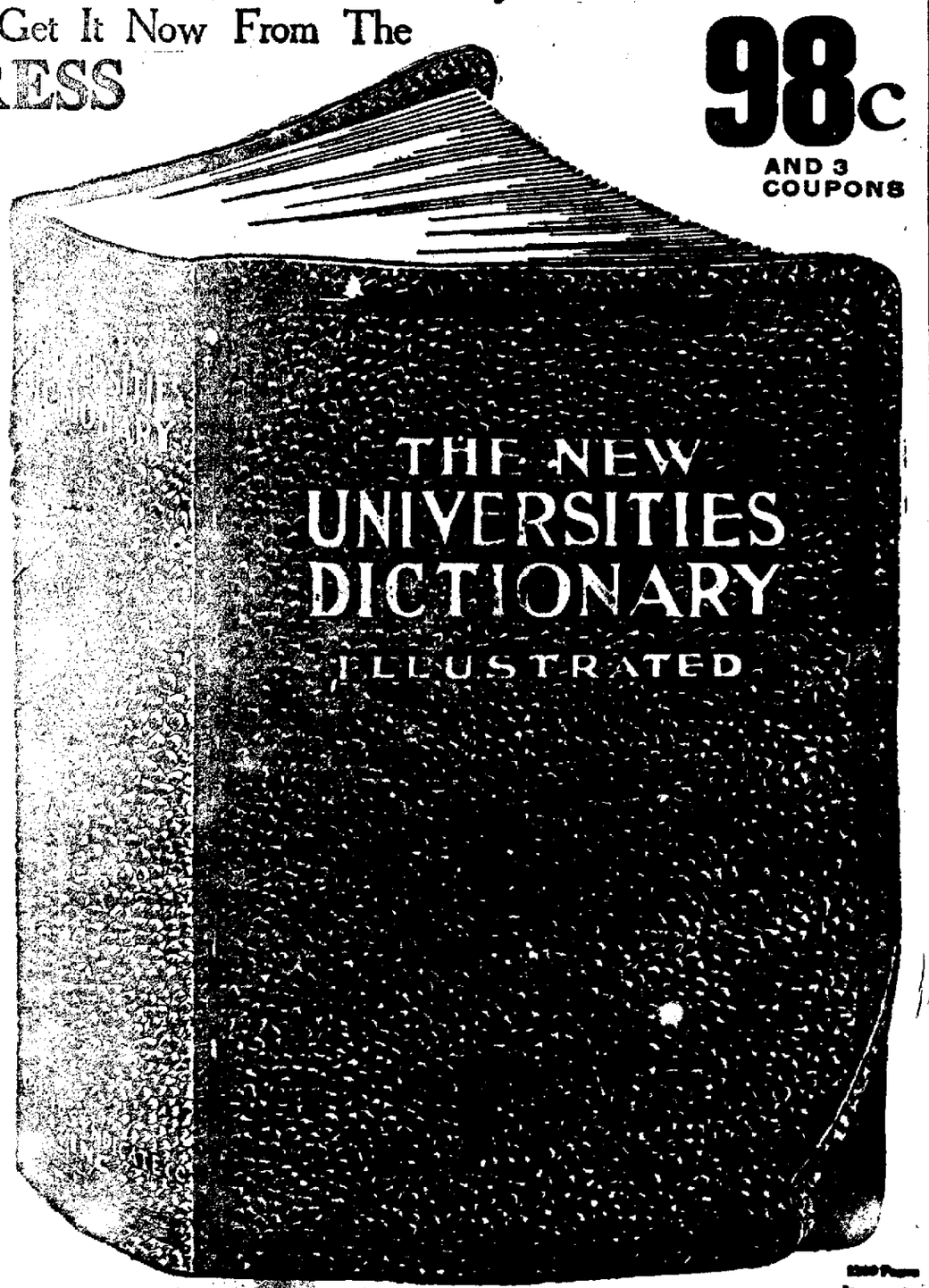

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Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Rev. W. A. Henderson a former rector of the St. Andrews Episcopal church here dropped dead of heart failure on Sunday at Zanesville, Ohio where he has been located.

Mrs. William B. Graves of DuBois, is visiting Mrs. J. R. Gearhart at her home on Locust street.

Paterson Shoff of Surveyor Run spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. J. E. Merris, of DuBois and Miss Lavina Eatherley, of Mississippi who is the house guest of Miss Helen Merris attended Bell's tea last evening.

Mrs. W. C. Hambold is quite ill at her rooms at the Bimeling.

Walter Lundergan of Pittsburg, is here to visit his wife who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cole. Mrs. Lundergan was taken to the Clearfield hospital this afternoon to undergo an operation.

Miss Lois Fegley of Grampian attended the Bell tea last evening.

Mrs. R. D. Swoope and daughter, Mary spent last evening in town.

John Arnold of DuBois, was attending license court today.

John C. Forsyth is attending to business matters at Harrisburg today.

C. W. Shillingford left today on a business trip to Philadelphia.

John Phillips, of Westover, was a guest at the home of his brother W. C. Phillips several days last week.

Arthur Littler, of Philadelphia, was a business visitor today.

Mrs. Will Spencer of Oregon, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Annie Berry on Margarette street left today for a visit with relatives in with friends in DuBois, Buffalo and with friends in DuBois, Buffalo and Akron before starting west. Mrs. Spencer was formerly from Clearfield county and has not been east for thirteen years.

Miss Anna Weir left this morning for Chicago where she has accepted a position. Miss Weir made her home here with her sister Mrs. Lemuel Root.

Mrs. W. D. Gates, of Curwensville, was shopping in town this morning.

CURWENSVILLE

T. F. Caley who is seriously ill at the Clearfield hospital appears to be improving according to reports last evening.

J. B. McMullen, of DuBois, had business in town yesterday.

E. E. Smith of Clearfield, was in town yesterday.

Bruce Norris, son of John W. Norris is quite sick at his home on State street.

J. T. Montgomery of DuBois, had business here yesterday.

Stanley Dudex has opened a tailor shop, over F. J. Dyer's new grocery store on Filbert street.

A. B Cooper, of Ridgeway, was in town yesterday morning.

H. H. Shaw, of Clearfield had business in town yesterday.

Last night the "Million Dollar Doll" proved itself to be one of the best shows of its kind on the road, before a large and appreciative crowd. It can easily be said it was the best show that has hit the burg in years.

Dave Fleming was a Clearfield caller this morning.

Arch Davidson attended license court at Clearfield yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Zift of Grampian, took in the "Million Dollar Doll" last night.

L. H. Bilger had business at the county seat today.

CONTROLLING FOREST INSECTS.

Boston, Jan. 19.—"Forestry practice as a means of controlling insect depredations, with special reference to the gypsy moth" was the general subject of discussion at a conference of the Eastern Foresters' Association here today. State Forester Rane, of Massachusetts, presided over the conference. Addresses and papers were presented by th State Foresters and other forestry experts from many of the Eastern states.

TODAY'S ODDEST STORY.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 19.—Five hundred and eighty-one mayors of southern cities have been invited and more than half of them are expected to come here today to discuss the perplexing municipal problem of the traveling pauper, thousands of whom talk city administrations out of hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of transportation every year.

FARM SPECIALISTS COMPLETE SURVEY OF CHESTER COUNTY

Oats As Grain Crop Found Unprofitable--Other Important Discoveries Made

Survey Embraces Exhaustive of the Farming Operations of Hundreds of Farms in County—Results of Survey Published.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Under conditions such as prevail in Chester County, Pa., oats as a grain crop have been found unprofitable by specialists in farm management of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Chester County farmers are recommended either to drop them altogether and substitute an annual hay crop, or at least to cut the oats for hay rather than to harvest them for grain. This recommendation is based upon a thorough agricultural survey of the county which has just been made. It is probable that it is applicable also to other sections of the East, as well as to this particular county.

The survey embraced an exhaustive study of the farming operations of 643 farms in the southern part of Chester County. The results of this survey are now published in a bulletin, Farm Management Practice in Chester County, Pa.

"The fundamental principles of good farm management," says the bulletin, "are followed by the majority of Chester County farmers, but there is a large minority which neglects these principles, and in certain respects the methods followed by even the best farmers in the county could be changed to advantage."

The chief recommendation of the government specialists is that the standard rotation of the section be changed from a five-year to a six-year one. This standard rotation is at present as follows:

1, corn; 2, corn, potatoes, oats; 3, wheat; 4, timothy; 5, clover.

It should be altered to: 1, corn; 2, corn; 3, potatoes, annual hay crop; 4, wheat; 5, timothy; 6, clover.

This change eliminates oats—substituting an annual hay crop for them—and increases the acreage on the farm devoted to corn. The hay crop to be substituted for oats should be, preferably, soy beans. Before definitely adopting soy beans, however, as the standard hay crop of the section, it is suggested that farmers experiment with the crop and in the interval adopt the practice of cutting the oats for hay.

The investigators found that it does not pay to buy hay nor this region except where the cows on the farm are of the highest dairy type. The total hay area should occupy between 40 and 50 per cent. of the land in crops. A little more corn than needed for home use should also be grown.

Among the other important conclusions reached as a result of the survey are:

That dairying should normally be the leading enterprise, with about 1 cow to each 4 or 5 acres of crops grown. If the cows are better than the average, more than this should be kept.

That the average return per cow for dairy products is $80, and that where receipts per cow are less than $60 per year, the larger the herd the smaller the labor income.

That more heifer calves should be raised.

That steer feeding is not worth while as a main line of business except on large farms in localities where labor is not available for handling crops to best advantage.

That a few hogs should ordinarily be fed for the market.

That the region is not well adapted to sheep farming.

That flocks of 100 to 150 hens are more easily made profitable than larger or smaller flocks.

That fruit and truck should be grown chiefly for home use.

That potatoes probably occupy about their proper place in Chester County farming.

That yields per acre can profitably be increased up to about 40 per cent. above the average. After that, the labor income falls off.

That labor income increases with the size of the farm, and that the average for farms of less than forty acres is too low to keep up a good standard of living.

That farms where diversification is about the average for the section are usually more profitable than those where farming is either more or less diversified than the average.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

The Russian offensive toward Posen and southern East Prussia gained momentum. Angry England demanded reprisals for German air raids on undefended British towns. Hungary's secession from Austria and Franz Joseph's abdication when Italy enters the war, were predicted at Fiume, Austria.

The jurors who are hearing the evidence at Providence, R. I., against Mrs. Elizabeth T. Mohr, and two negroes on the charge that the three killed her husband were taken to the scene of the tragedy in automobiles. The doctor was shot to death on a lonely road near Providence and his housekeeper, Miss Berger, was badly wounded.

Expert Advice For the Automobile Owner

Queries and Replies Covering Matters of Importance to the Man Who Runs a Car

My car is hard to start in cold weather. Would increasing the number of dry batteries approximate a high tension magneto, and, again, would increasing the number of batteries injure the coil?

No. This would injure the coil by allowing an excessive current to flow through it. If your present cells are in good condition they should furnish a satisfactory spark for easy starting. The spark is probably all right, but the real difficulty is due to the gasoline not vaporizing. To overcome this trouble you might use a lighter grade of gasoline, such as you can probably obtain at your drug store. Ether might also be used. Either of these fuels may be injected through the priming cups or introduced through a special priming device. There are several devices on the market which facilitate starting on cold mornings by warming the fuel. One of these might be a good remedy for your trouble. You might also use a radiator heater to keep the motor warm at night.

Do you recommend the use of wood alcohol as anti-carbon treatment? When I used it the car smoked, but seemed to run better.

Wood alcohol should be satisfactory. Four ounces should be enough for each cylinder. After injection of the liquid to all cylinders the motor should be cranked a few times to distribute the alcohol to all parts of the combustion chambers.

What is the difference between a torque arm and a radius rod?

Radius rods are used in motorcars to maintain the rear axle in a fixed position with relation to the other driving members. Radius rods are used in pairs, one on each side of the axle. A torque arm is a rod or beam attached at one end to the rear axle and at the other to a frame cross member. The function of the torque member is to prevent the rear axle from twisting or tending to rotate because of the forces acting upon it in driving and braking.

Why does a motor smoke when it first starts for about five or ten minutes till it gets warm and then stops smoking?

This is probably due to metal expansion. When cold the piston and rings are loose and oil can get to the combustion chamber, but when hot there is less cylinder clearance and little, if any, oil gets to the chamber to be burned.

What final ratio is considered best on cars with 32 by 4 tires, and what speed should be obtained from this ratio?

The size of the tires is not the all important factor in determining the proper gear ratio, as there are many other points to be considered, such as the most efficient speed of the motor, the weight of the car, etc. These may so alter the proper gear ratio that the mere size of the tires becomes insignificant in determining the final reduction. With this in view, it is impossible to state that any given final reduction is best for a given tire size.

Some engines stop almost immediately after the switch is cut off, while others seem to lose their momentum gradually. Why is this?

When the switch is cut off on an engine it is merely a matter of bringing to rest the moving parts, which are no longer propelled by the explosion of the gases in the combustion chamber. Only one influence is probably great enough to be considered as the opposing factor to the movement of the motor, and this is the internal friction. When this has exerted its influence to such an extent that the motor is unable to turn itself over against the compression of the cylinders it will come to rest. The compression is not an opposing factor unless the momentum is insufficient to carry the motor over top center, because when it is carried over top center the expansion of the compressed air gives up practically all the power which was utilized in compressing it. If the compression is exceptionally heavy then the speed does not have to be reduced as far as it would if only a light compression were used before the engine will be unable to turn itself over the dead point. With these considerations it will be easily seen that a motor with tight bearings, tight piston rings and high compression will come to rest much quicker than one which has the opposite conditions. Of course a gas tight motor is more efficient under running conditions than one which is too free.

My car misfires under load, but if I take a hill running fast it will not misfire. I have cleaned and adjusted the breaker points, also the spark plugs. What can be the matter?

This may be caused by poor carbureter adjustment for low and intermediate; also by some derangement in the igniting system whereby there is an insufficient spark sent to the plugs at low engine speeds. It is possible that you adjusted the interrupter points improperly or that you set the plug gaps too wide. Leaks about the cylinder plugs and inlet manifold may cause the trouble.

What is the objection found to transmission gears built in and receiving the same oil as the cylinders? Is there any great objection to this oil as used in crank case as a lubricant to the transmission gears?

The main objection to this is that the lubricant which is suitable for cylinders is not suitable for gears. Gears require a viscous lubricant, which clings to the surface and provides a substantial film between the teeth. The gear wheel must be able to carry the oil around with it. In the cylinder the oil requirements are entirely different. The difficulties of high temperatures must be met with, and since an entirely different set of conditions are to be faced the oil will naturally have to be different if it is to provide ideal lubrication. Very often makers in the past have connected the gear set to the crank case, so that the oil in the latter worked its way to the former, and vice versa. These makers have gradually abandoned the method, however, as the oil from the crank case was not considered to be ideal for the gear set. Another great objection to the use of the interconnected gear set and crank case is that the car user would often put heavy oil in the gear box, with the result that it would work its way into the crank case and cause carbonization of the cylinders.

Is it necessary for the front wheels of a car to toe in, and, if so, how much?

It is customary to give the front wheels one-quarter inch foregather to facilitate steering.

What is it that causes the tapping sound in a motor when the spark is advanced too far, when motor is laboring? Why is it that this happens when a motor is new and the pistons, wrist pins and rings are absolutely tight and perfect fitting?

Very often with the spark advanced too far the pound given by the motor is simply the impact of the working parts transmitted to the volume of exploding gas in the combustion chamber. This is communicated throughout the motor, and the resonant qualities of the metal in the motor permit a pounding effect to ensue. With pistons that are in any way loose at the bottom the reversed power causes a slap, but even without the piston slap the pounding noise would be in evidence.

With the present tendency of putting the piston rings at the top and none at the bottom, there is sometimes a slap caused by the oscillating of the piston about one of the upper rings, brought on due to the reversal of power to preignition. It must be remembered, however, that even with the best fitting motors a change preignition will first say place where there is backlash, as the reaction even carries through the timing gears, valve mechanism, etc.

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RCORDS SHOW INCREASING PROPORTION OF BOY BABIES

Marriage Rate in England and Wales During Past Months Highest in History

BY WILBUR S. FORREST
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, Jan. 12.—(By United Press)—Is war responsible for a greater and increasing proportion of boy babies? This question is engaging the attention of British medical authorities following the Registrar-General's report that all records for boy babies born in 36 large towns in England and Wales have been broken during the last nine months.

As against 1,000 female births, 1,032 boys were born in January and March; 1,043 in April and June and 1,055 in July, August and September. Advance records indicate that the some natural law, yet undiscovered, ratio will be even greater from October to January, 1916. A theory that lends to the birth of more boys than girls during a nation's war stress is partially borne out by reports from Austria, where male births have exceeded female births during the war, to an even greater exeent than in England.

Prof. W. D. Halliburton, dean of medicine at King's College, London, discussing the subject, declared today that there is no scientific theory to justify the belief.

"The fact is there," he stated. "We must look upon it as a wise dispensation of Providence. One popular explanation is that the anxiety or privation of the mother during the pre-natal period has some influence on determining the sex of her child. But no scientific explanation warrants such an ido." Prof. Arthur Dendy, of the Zoological and Animal Biological faculty, King's College, declared that prevailing birth conditions could not be attributed to mere coincidence. He was unable to explain further.

Official records made public by the Registrar-General also said that the marriage rate for England and Wales during the last three months was the highest in history—21.8 persons per 1,000.

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Mrs. Amelia Spencer visited Mr. and Mrs. Murray Spencer on Sunday.

W. T. Thorpe is visiting relatives in and near Philadelphia at this time.

Misses Vinnie and Neva Spencer spent Friday night with Mrs. Frank Guiher.

Harvey Wrigleswoth visited with Ralph Rowles on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ellinger, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Wrigleswoth, Mr. and Mrs. William Wrigleswoth visited relatives at Bells Landing.

Mrs. J. E. Guiher is on the sick list.

Mrs. J. I. Spencer still continues on the sick list.

Mrs. John Wrigleswoth and daughter Erie is confined to the house with the grippe.

Miss orna Haley is visiting friends in DuBois.

A. J. Hartzfield and Lorena Hartzfield visited at William Foster's Sunday.

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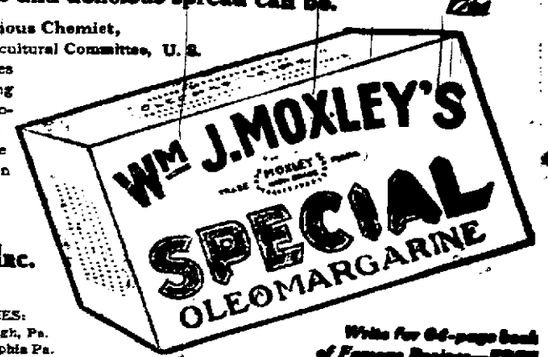

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